BE PATIENT WITH EVERY ONE, BUT ABOVE ALL WITH YOURSELF——————Francis of Sales

MUCH COLDER

WEATHER FORECAST FOR FORT WAYNE AND VICINITY.

CLOUDY TONIGHT; TUESDAY, WARMER, THEN PROBABLY SNOW AND MUCH COLDER.

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PASSENGERS SENT TO DEATH WITHOUT WARNING

80 ARE DEAD, SAYS LONDON

French Liner Ville de la Coitat Victim of Submarine Attack.

PARIS HAS JUST MADE FACT PUBLIC

Russians Win a Victory Over Insurgent Army in Persia.

Today's War News Given in Summary

Petrograd reports a victory for the Russians in Persia against a well armed force that included several thousand Persian insurgent gendarmes. The insurgent army fled after it had suffered heavy losses, it is declared.

On the Riga-Dvinsk front in Russia the Germans have resumed their activity, according to Petrograd, but without any gain of ground being recorded. Gas was employed in some of the German attacks, the Russian report states.

Berlin declares that nothing worth reporting has occurred on the eastern front. On the front in France neither Berlin nor Paris reports operations of note, the activity being confined to artillery play and mine explosions.

Further victories for the Montenegrians, who are continuing the offensive, reported by their war office. They have taken several villages from the Austrians and inflicted heavy losses, their statement asserts.

Gen. Castelneau, chief of the French general staff, who is in Athens, declared in an interview that it would be impossible for the allied forces to be ousted from Saloniki, where he had spent several days examining the ground. He said the position provided most favorable opportunities for offensive and defensive action.

Two classes of Greek troops have been disbanded, according to a news agency dispatch from Athens.

Apparently submarines have again been active in British waters or nearby. The sinking of three steamers was reported today, one of them a vessel of more than 4,000 tons, the Ministre Bernaert, a Belgian owned craft, last reported at London. Two boat loads of the crew from this steamer are missing.

BULLETIN.

London, Dec. 27.—(6:05 p. m.)—Eighty of the passengers and crew of the Ville de la Ciotat lost their lives. The remainder of the persons on board were saved.

BULLETIN.

Washington. Dec. 27.—Seventy-nine persons were drowned in the destruction of the French liner Ville de la Ciotat, the American consul at Malta reported today to the state department. No Americans were aboard. The ship, he reports, was torpedoed without warning at 10:15 o'clock on Dec. 24 and sank in fifteen minutes.

BULLETIN.

New York, Dec. 27.—The Messageries Maritimes, the line owning the steamship Ville de la Ciotat, sunk in the Mediterranean by a submarine, is represented in the United States by the International Sleeping Car company. Representatives of the line here said that they had not been advised of the sinking of the ship up to a late hour today. So far as is known here no Americans were among the passengers.

Paris, Dec. 27.—(5:35 p. m.)—The French steamer Ville de la Ciotat with passengers on board was torpedoed without warning and sunk in the Mediterranean by a submarine on Dec. 24, the ministry of marine announced today. Most of the passengers and members of the crew have been rescued.

The statement follows: "The steamer Ville de la Ciotat was torpedoed and sunk on the 24th in the Mediterranean by an enemy submarine without warning.

"A majority of the passengers and crew were picked up by an English steamer. Details have not been received."

The Ville de la Coitat was one of the largest of the steamers sunk recently in the Mediterranean. Her gross tonnage was 6,378. She was 487 feet long and 50 feet beam. She was built at La Coitat, France, in 1892, and was owned by the Messageries Maritimes of

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GIRL DISAPPEARS ON WAY HOME FROM WEST

Miss Vera Easthrom, of Indianapolis, is Strangely Missing.

Indianapolis, Dec. 27.—Miss Vera O. Easthrom, 18 years old, who was on her way from San Diego, Cal., to the home of her parents, John E. Easthrom, 520 East New York street, and was due here Thursday night, has failed to arrive. A trunk containing her clothing and Christmas presents for members of the family arrived safely and a letter bearing her trunk checks, which was sent by her sister, Mrs. August Dahm, who lives at San Diego, arrived on time. The police have been asked to search for the missing girl.

Miss Easthrom went to San Diego fifteen months ago, but had decided to return to the home of her parents. While in California she had been employed in stores and was one of the twenty-five young women selected by Mayor E. M. Clapp as the most beautiful that attended the San Diego fair.

According to the letter received from Mrs. Dahm, Miss Easthrom had started on her journey without the trunk checks. The letter was directed to Miss Easthrom. Her parents are at a loss to account for her failure to appear on time and fear she may have become ill while on a train and was removed to a hospital. This is the only explanation they can offer for her disappearance. They say she should have been here not later than Friday morning. They say they suppose she carried a suitcase but do not believe she had sufficient money to stop off at any of the cities she passed through while on her way home.

GET-RICH-QUICK MAN FINDS IT HARDER NOW

Washington, D. C., Dec. 27.—Honest advertising campaigns undertaken by business organizations, publishers and advertising men in co-operation with the postoffice department, are sounding the knell of "get rich quick" and other fraudulent enterprises, according to the annual report of the solicitor of the department, made public today.

"It is clear," says the solicitor, W. H. Lamar, "that the strict enforcement of the law is having a deterrent effect upon many promoters who hitherto have relied for a livelihood on the conduct of schemes to defraud through the mails."

The decay of the once thriving industry, the report continues, has been brought about not only by the postoffice department, but by the newspaper and magazine publishers, advertising organization and other agencies which have co-operated with the federal authorities and made the fraudulent schemes dangerous and unprofitable.

PRINCE VON BUELOW RETURNS TO LUCERNE

Berne, Switzerland, Dec. 27.—Prince von Buelow, former German chancellor, has returned to Lucerne. He has resumed his quiet life at a hotel there. Recent reports that he has a large staff of secretaries are incorrect.

The presence of Prince von Buelow in Switzerland since October has given rise to many reports that he was working for peace on behalf of the German government, although these statements have been denied categorically by the prince. A London dispatch of Saturday said he had departed from Switzerland for Germany.

WHY MANY BABIES DIE.

Mothers Forced to Work Outside the Home, Says Federal Report.

Washington, Dec. 27.—The death rate in the United States among babies of mothers who work outside their homes far exceeds the infant mortality where the mother is not so employed. This is brought out in the annual report today of the federal children's bureau which is conducting an inquiry into the social and economic cases of babies deaths. The report shows an average infant death rate of 134 of every 1,000 babies in a steel-making and coal mining town as against a rate of 84 out of every 1,000 in a residential suburb.

WITH FORD RETURNING BRYAN CANCELS TRIP.

New York, Dec. 27.—Reports that Wm. Jennings Bryan had contemplated joining Henry Ford in Europe were confirmed today; but because Mr. Ford himself is returning to this country Mr. Bryan will not go to Europe. It was learned here that he had booked passage for himself and Mrs. Bryan on the steamship Rotterdam sailing tomorrow. But today he telegraphed that mecause of Mr. Ford's return he (Bryan) had indefinitely postponed his trip.

FORT WAYNE STILL IN GRIP OF SNOW STRUGGLES TO FREE ITSELF.

Scenes like the one here reproduced were everywhere in the business district Monday, where hundreds of men and scores of horses were employed in clearing the streets of the high-banked snow. However, with the depth of the snow covering increasing hourly, there was likelihood of more trouble before another day.

NO INDICATION OF FOUL PLAY IS FOUND

Henry Gick Died of Apoplexy Caused by Excessive Drink.

Investigations by Coroner E. H Kruse and Police Lieutenant Harry Grimme have failed to discover any indication that foul play had anything to do with the death of Henry Gick, aged 54, who was found dead and badly decomposed in his garret kennel at 451 Holman street, about noon, Sunday. The coroner's examination disclosed that death had been due to apoplexy, probably caused by excessive drink. The body was lying across the bed and was in a shocking condition. So far as can be learned Gick, who was employed as a laborer by the Moellering Construction company, was last seen alive on Thursday. It is thought probable that he went to his room some time Friday and there died alone. He had been missed about the house, but his absence caused no anxiety, owing to his habits. It was on Sunday, when the odor coming from his room caused an investigation, that the body was found.

The advanced state of decomposition led the coroner and undertaker to believe that the man must have been dead much longer than two days and evidences that blood had been washed from the floor of his room at first aroused suspicion that violence might have been the factor in the man's death. Nothing to support such a theory has been found. The body was removed to the Schone & Ankenbruck morgue where Coroner Kruse made an examination and pronounced death due to apoplexy.

Gick was born in Adams township, in 1861, but had been a laborer in this city for many years. His father, two brothers—George and John Gick—and three sisters, Mrs. Mary Wagner, Mrs. Gus Nahrwald and Mrs. Minnie Hoffman, survive him.

DAILEY CLEANS UP DOCKET.

Bluffton Man Enjoying Few Remaining Days in Office.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 27.—Frank C. Dailley, retiring United States district attorney, is thoroughly enjoying the few remaining days in office. Mr. Dailey becomes a member of the law firm of Miller, Shirley, Miller and Thompson on Jan. 1, and is to be succeeded by L. Ert Slack. The federal court calendar shows that several cases are pending and it is Mr. Dailey's wish to turn over the office to Mr. Slack with a clean slate, leaving only the criminal cases which Judge Anderson will begin hearing on Jan. 4.

WAS MOTHER OF MRS. CLEVELAND

Mrs. Emma Folsom Perrine Passes Away in New York.

New York, Dec. 27.—The death of Mrs. Emma Folsom Perrine, mother of Mrs. Francis Folsom-Preston, who was Mrs. Grover Cleveland, was announced here today by George F. Parker, a close friend of the family. Mrs. Perrine was 76 years old. Her death occurred late last night at the home of Mrs. Preston. After the death of her first husband, Oscar Folsom, who was a law partner of Grover Cleveland, Mrs. Perrine spent much of her time with her daughter. Mrs. Perrine lived in Buffalo for a number of years.

SMITH'S NAME ON BALLOT.

Lansing, Mich., Dec. 27.—Petitions to place the name of United States Senator William Alden Smith, of Grand Rapids, on the primary ballots for president, were filed today

LINER GIVEN NO WARNING

First American Consul in Report on Sinking of Yasaka Maru.

MAKE REPLY TO LANSING REQUEST

In View of German Promise Attack Was Probably Made by Austrians.

Washington, Dec. 27.—American Consul Bristol at Port Said, cabled today that no warning was given the Japanese liner Yasaka Maru, before she was torpedoed and sunk in the Mediterranean last Tuesday by a submarine. The liner, he added, made no attempt to escape.

The consul's dispatch, which came in response to Secretary Lansing's call for reports on the disaster, was the first official information on the subject. Today reports said the submarine was not seen until after the liner had been torpedoed and then only her periscope was visible. The ship sank in 49 minutes and the survivors were picked up by a French cruiser and landed at Port Said, from where the news of the sinking of the vessel came last week.

Renewed efforts will be made to determine the nationality of the submarine and instructions have been sent out by the state department. If it can gather information necessary it is prepared to include the incident with the protest against the sinking of the Ancona.

Was Probably Austrian.

As Germany has already given assurances that her submarine commanders were under instructions not to attack liners without warning, there was a disposition to believe the attacking boat was an Austrian. If that assumption proves true it is feared the situation over the sinking of the Italian liner Ancona will be further complicated, and diplomatic correspondence with Austria will be broadened to take in the general subject of attack without warning, as it did in the last stages of the negotiations with Germany.

Unofficial reports of favorable reply from the Vienna foreign office to the last Ancona note have not served to alter the attitude of the state department and there are direct indications that nothing but meeting the demands of the United States will fully leave diplomatic relations between the two countries unimpaired.

The word that "the reply will be guided by the concern of the good relations" between the two countries, officials take it, means that Austria-Hungary probably expects more correspondence upon the subject. The United States is disinclined to enter into any such negotiations.

Should it develop that an Austrian submarine torpedoed the Yasaka Maru without warning the Vienna foreign office will be asked to disavow the act and give assurance to govern further conduct of her submarine warfare. As was done in the correspondence with Germany, the United States will hold to the position that if submarines failed to give warning their commanders cannot be sure that American life will not be placed in danger.

JAPAN HEARS SAME STORY.

Tokio, Japan, Dec. 27.—Detailed advices received here today from Port Said concerning the sinking of the Ya-

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MILROY GIVEN CLEAR TITLE TO MAYORALTY

Toledo Charter Adopted by Popular Vote Upheld by Courts.

Toledo, Ohio, Dec. 27.—Mayor-elect Charles Milroy's title to the office of mayor of Toledo was perfected today. The popular vote by which he was elected was fully confirmed by the unanimous decision of common pleas judges in the election contest instituted in the name of Dr. C. W. McGuire.

The judges sustained the Toledo charter as adopted by the popular vote, declared second choice preferential voting legal and for the first time in Ohio held that the home rule amendment of the constitution confers on the municipalities full control of the methods of nominating and electing municipal officers.

TEXAS & PACIFIC TO OPPOSE A RECEIVER

Dallas, Tex., Dec. 27.—Receivership for the Texas and Pacific railway company was asked in a petition filed here today by the Bankers Trust company of New York, through their local attorneys. Default in payment of interest on bonds is alleged. Hearing was set for Jan. 13.

Attorneys for the railroad served notice that they would contest the receivership. The petition, which included the New Orleans Railway company, a Texas & Pacific property, alleges default on interest and principal of $14,000,000 second mortgage bonds, issued originally in 1878 for $25,000,000 and since reduced. George J. Gould is chairman of the Texas and Pacific which operates mainly in Louisiana, Texas and Arkansas.

The Texas and Pacific operates under federal charter. The road was constructed in the 70's. Its main line extends from New Orleans to El Paso. Officials of the road here said the filing of the suit was a complete surprise to them.

GIFTS TO STIMULATE PRACTICE IN MILITIA

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 27.—Two gifts to stimulate practice in the militia were announced by Adjutant General Stotesbury today. Robert Glendenning, of New York, has presented to the national guard the balloon l'Eoureil, which won the Pittsfield balloon race in 1914, and Allen R. Hawley, president of the Aero club of America, has turned over to the state $2,500, half of the fund contributed by an unknown donor to be divided between Massachusetts and New York for military aviation purposes. The balloon l'Eoureil has a gas capacity of 38,000 cubic feet and carries three passengers. It is to be employed as a captive craft for aerial observation during military maneuvers.

BOY-ED LEAVES TOMORROW.

Recalled German Attache Reserves State Room on Rotterdam.

New York, Dec. 27.—Captain K. Boy-Ed, the recalled German naval attache, will leave New York on the steamship Rotterdam tomorrow. He reserved his state room today.

MRS. BLAZER IS IN SERIOUS CONDITION

Victim of Collision of a Jitney and City Car Has Operation.

Mrs. Lena Blazer, 1126 Polk street, who suffered a fracture of the skull and other injuries, Christmas eve, when the jitney bus in which she was a passenger was struck by a city street car at Huffman and Sherman streets, is reported to be still in a serious condition at St. Joseph hospital and an operation was performed Monday by Dr. J. Frank Dinnen, police surgeon, in the hope of giving her relief. Dr. Dinnen says the woman is not out of danger.

Pending the outcome of her injuries the case of assault and battery against Floyd Lutman, motorman of the street car, was continued in the city court Monday morning until Wednesday. Lutman's bond of $300, furnished by the traction company, was continued and he is at liberty. It is probable that on Wednesday Mrs. Blazer's condition will indicate a time to which the case may be definitely continued for hearing.

Lutman declares that he was not to blame because just after a grocer's delivery wagon had passed the jitney the latter turned directly onto the track in front of the car. Oscar Shust, 1710 Wells street, driver of the jitney, and others assert that the street car was going at terrific speed and that after the first crash again struck the jitney and hurled it to the curb. Chief of Police Charles Lenz and Deputy Prosecutor Stephan A. Callahan are making a thorough investigation.

Mrs. Rosa Shaw, mother-in-law of Mrs. Blazer and residing with her, was in the jitney at the time of the accident and was injured, but much less seriously than Mrs. Blazer.

MUCH COLDER SAYS THE WEATHER MAN

That the snowfall that continued during the greater part of the day Monday has come to "set a spell" is the prediction of the United States weather bureau, which makes the forecast that it will grow much colder Monday night.

There is no immediate prospect of a turn to rain. The snowfall Monday was light in character, but persistent, and was carried by a northwest wind.

RENOUNCES HIS CLAIMS.

Gounaris Willing to Support Minority of Skouloudis in Greece.

Berlin, Dec. 27.—M. Gounaris, whose party won the recent election in Greece, has renounced his claims to the premiership, the Overseas News agency says. An Athens dispatch received by the news agency says that M. Gounaris made a report to King Constantine of the election and added as the leader of the majority party he was willing to support the minority of Premier Skouloudis. Owing to politic conditions in Greece he believed a change in government to be not only unnecessary, but unwise. It is said the king agreed with his suggestions.

SHOULD DEVELOP NEW FIELD.

Gen. Crozier Would Free Army From Dependence for Nitrates.

Washington, Dec. 27.—To free the United States army from dependence for nitrates for explosives, Brig. Gen. Crozier, chief of the ordnance, in his annual report, says the government, if necessary, should develop the electrical processes of taking nitrogen from the air. The country now is dependent for nitrates upon the Chilean fields, which might be cut off in time of war.

Study of lessons of the European war, the report says, has shown the necessity of increasing the range of heavy and light guns and of providing more machine guns.

Principal Events in Ft. Wayne This Week

MONDAY.

Annual business meeting and election of officers by Mizpah temple, Ancient Arabic Order of Nobles of the Mystic Shrine.

Summit City lodge, No. 399, Ancient Order United Workmen will elect officers.

TUESDAY.

Salvation Army annual treat to poor children.

WEDNESDAY.

Annual banquet of the Old Aqueduct club at Elks' temple.

THURSDAY.

Annual corn show at Lincoln school under auspices of Washington Township Farmers' club.

FRIDAY.

New Year's eve. Special events at all the principal hotels and watch parties galore.

SATURDAY.

First day of 1916.

Moose lodge's farewell party.

MR. MARSHALL GREETS THEM

Vice President Extends a Welcome to Pan-American Delegates.

PROCLAIMS LOFTY PURPOSE OF U. S.

First to Resent Any Unwarranted Interference, He Declares.

Washington, Dec. 27.—Vice President Marshall in the absence of President Wilson today welcomed the delegates of the South and Central American republics at the opening session of the Pan-American congress.

In his address he declared the ideal of pan-Americanism should be to prevent unjust interference in the affairs of American nations and that the United States would be the first to resent such interference with any American country.

Pan-Americanism practically identical with that advocated by President Wilson in his message to congress was supported today by the speakers at the inaugural session of the second pan-American scientific congress. A composite address of the 22 speeches made would leave the impression of general endorsement of the idea. Secretary of State Lansing in his capacity as an officer of the United States, which invited the congress to meet here and as presiding officer of the governing board of the pan-American union discussed pan-Americanism as an "international policy of the Americas" and the Monroe doctrines a "national policy" pointing out that the two were not inharmonious.

Chilean Makes Response.

Eduardo Suarez, ambassador of Chile president of the congress, replied, expressing in general the attitude of Latin-America, and heading the list of nineteen chairmen of delegations, Ernesto Quesada, of Buenos Ayres, made the first of the five minute replies. The first general session took place in Memorial Continental hall, national headquarters of the Daughters of the Revolution. Men and women from every capital of South and Central America, from scores of other Latin-American cities, and from all parts of the United States were present. They included the official delegates, guests of the Carnegie endowment and men and women famous for scientific, literary and educational work, who had come without official standing. Four languages were used, though the Portuguese, of Brazil, and French, of Haiti, were almost unheard in the volume of Spanish of the Latin-American countries and the English that marked the Americans. Interpreters provided by the state department were used to reduce the whole to a common tongue.

A plan to bring into closer intellectual union the countries represented at the pan-American congress was proposed by Ernesto Quesada, chairman of the Argentine delegation. He suggested in his response to the address of welcome that three subsidiary unions be formed, one to confederate all the universities of the Americas, the second to create a bibliograph union and the third an archaeological union. His plan for a confederation of universities provides for the interchange of students and professors.

Wilson Sends Greetings.

The following telegram from President Wilson to Director General John H. Barrett, of the Pan-American union, was received:

"Please present my warmest greetings to delegates to the Pan-American Scientific congress and extend to them, on my behalf, a most cordial welcome. It seems to be the happiest omen that the attendance should be so large and the interest in its proceedings so great. I hope that the greatest success will attend every activity of the congress and that the intimate course of thought which it produces will bring Americans still closer together throughout the continents, alike in sympathy and purposes."

WEALTH GOES TO COLLEGE.

Oakland City Institution Gets $60,000 by Cox Will.

Oakland City, Ind., Dec. 27.—The will of Dr. D. A. Cox, of Howell, who died recently, leaves a fortune of $60,000 to Oakland City college. The money is to be applied to the endowment. The will was filed for probate at Evansville. Dr. Cox was president of the college's board of trustees. A life interest in the estate is given the widow.

MEANS ADVANCE FOR WORKMEN.

Reading Iron Company Announces a Readjustment of Wages.

Reading, Pa., Dec. 27.—The Reading Iron company today announced a readjustment of wages in all departments which will mean an advance of from 5 to 6 per cent. All the plants of the company are working full time.

QUIET AFTERMATH AROUND THE COURTS

Mills of Justice Enjoy a Quiet Hour Following Christmas.

The usual quiet aftermath that trails Christmas was emphatically noticeable about the Allen county court house Manday. Of new litigation there was a complete dearth and not much was doing with that pending. Two divorces were granted—one each in the superior and circuit courts—and some judgments were rendered in minor cases. Otherwise the situation was serene and full of the spirit of peace on earth.

Notes of the Courts

In the superior court, Monday, Mary Lindner dismissed her complaint for divorce against Andrew Lindner and entered a general denial to her husband's cross-complaint. The defendant was granted a divorce and the plaintiff was given $200 alimony. The husband charged that his wife wanted to live in a state beyond his means and had sought to get his property. They had been married but a little while when they separated.

The Woodburn Banking company has brought suit in the circuit court against Jesse E. Brown and Henry F. Nietert, to collect $78 on a note. W. N. Ballou appears for the plaintiff.

The suit of Jefferson Meyers vs. J. J. Martin has been dismissed from the superior court.

In the circuit court, in the case of Edward A. McConnell, guardian, vs the German-American Trust company, for transfer of funds, the court found that the plaintiff was entitled to $448.85 and ordered that sum less the costs, be turned over to the clerk of the court.

LICENSED TO WED

Ferber L. E. Ulmer, bookkeeper, and June L. Ryason.

Leonard A. Lesh, seaman, and Ada M. Seth.

Frank Scott, laborer, and Clara J. Clay.

LINER GIVEN NO WARNING

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saka Maru corroborate previous statements that the ship was torpedoed without warning. It is said she was attacked at 2:35 p. m. by a submarine whose presence had not been observed. No flag was visible.

Shortly after the torpedo was discharged two periscopes, one long and one short, appeared above the water within 400 feet of the steamship. They moved to a position off the stern, the Port Said advices relate as though ready to discharge a second torpedo if necessary.

After the Yasaka Maru sank a coning tower was visible for a brief time at a point about a mile away.

The report describes the manner in which all on board the steamship entered the boats safely, this having been accomplished within ten minutes of the time the torpedo was discharged. The captain caused the boats to be tied together. Sails were hoisted and in accordance with a plan arranged previously by wireless, a southeasterly course was taken. This was held until midnight, when the French gunboat which rescued the passengers and crew was met. During the evening the periscope of the submarine was not visible. The passengers praised the captain and crew for their coolness. There was no sign of panic throughout the long ordeal.

According to a statement made to the diet by the finance minister there was on board the Yasaka Maru gold to the value of 1,000,000 yen ($500,000).

80 ARE DEAD, SAYS LONDON

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Marseilles. She was last reported on her arrival at Saigon, Indo-China, Dec. 13, on a voyage from Yokohama to Marseilles.

The Montenegrins are continuing their offensive and have gained considerable territory in the Sanjak, taking numerous villages and inflicting large losses upon the Austrians according to a statement given out by the Montenegrin minister here today.

The following statement was issued this afternoon at the war office: "There were no events of importance last night except in Lorraine where our artillery bombarded the positions of the enemy in the vicinity of Bioncourt and Gremecre, southwest of Chateau-Salins."

RUSSIANS ROUTE PERSIANS.

Petrograd Says Big Insurgent Army is Put to Flight.

Petrograd, Dec. 27.—The defeat by Russian troops in Persia of a formidable force, among which were several thousand Persian insurrectionists, is reported today by general headquarters. It is declared that the opposing army suffered heavily and was badly broken up under the Russian attack.

The Germans have been active along the Riga-Dvinsk front according to the statement, using gas in some of their attacks, but were repulsed in all instances.

SUBMARINES AGAIN ACTIVE.

British Vessels Once More Suffer from German Attacks.

London, Dec. 27.—(4 p. m.)—The British steamer Hadley, 1,777 tons gross, has been sunk. The British steamer Embla, 1,127 tons, has been beached at the mouth of the Thames, afire forward. The crews of both vessels were rescued.

Sinking of the Belgian steamer Ministre Bernaert is announced. The crew left the steamer in boats, two of which are missing. The British steamer Collingham, of 513 tons, has been sunk. The crew was saved.

Conflicting reports continue to reach London from the scene of the near eastern campaigns. Statements from several sources make it appear the Teutonic allies are preparing steadily for an offensive movement in conjunction with the Bulgarians and Turks. Other advices, however, are that the Bulgarians fear to attack, lest they be caught between two fires in the strip between Saloniki-Dorian to the Saloniki-Gievgeli railroads.

The central powers are still negotiating with Greece. An interview with Premier Skouloudis forecasts failure of the efforts to prevent an invasion of Grecian territory. It is intimated that if an invasion is undertaken the Athens government will devote its efforts toward obtaining guarantees of the evacuation of Greek territory following the completion of military operations. Along the western front Paris reports successful artillery actions in the Champagne districts, Woevre and Vosges. Berlin says operations are restricted by incessant rain.

The British public is looking forward with keen interest to today's cabinet meeting. It is expected the cabinet will consider the report of the Earl of Derby in regard to his enlistment plan.

ALLIES ARE CONFIDENT.

Cannot Be Driven From Saloniki, Says Gen. Castelneau.

Athens, Dec. 27.—"With our batteries of heavy artillery and the men behind them it is impossible to oust the allied forces from Saloniki," said Gen. Castelneau, of the French staff, in a statement today to the Associated Press. Gen. Castelneau gave the interview after being received by King Constantine. Gen. Castelneau's statement was submitted to French Minister Guillmen and approved by him.

"The situation at Saloniki today is most excellent," the general continued. "I must say I have rarely seen an emplacement which lends itself better to defense. It also provides the most favorable conditions for offensive operations."

The general was asked whether the allies contemplate an offensive movement in the spring.

"Spring will tell," he replied. "It is impossible to discount the exigencies of the military situation so far ahead."

"What impression did you gain from your talk with the king?" the correspondent asked.

"I was deeply touched by the fact that his majesty, although in poor health, received me. He was most cordial. The Greeks have shown me every courtesy."

"And in France—General, how soon do you think the war will be finished?"

"That doesn't matter; the most important thing is that victory is certain sooner or later and every Frenchman is to go the whole way for a complete triumph. Whether in France or here there will be no weakening, for France is not only determined; France is sure."

Large crowds in which were many Greek soldiers gathered before the French legation and cheered Gen. Castelneau.

RUSSIANS ARE SUFFERING.

Army in Caucasus Badly Demoralized, Berlin Hears.

Berlin, Dec. 27.—"Reports from the Caucasus, received here from Constantinople, state that the Russian army is demoralized as a result of cold, hunger, cholera, typhoid and poor equipment," says the Overseas News Agency. "Poles in the Russian army whose homes are in districts occupied by the Germans are deserting or begging that they be sent home."

Only mining operations along the Franco-Belgian front are mentioned in today's official statement by German army headquarters. Quiet prevailed along the other fronts.

BRITISH REPEL TURK ASSAULT.

Delhi, Dec. 26.—(Via London, Dec. 27, 9 a. m.)—A viborous Turkish assault against the British forces at Kut-el-Amara was driven back Saturday with heavy losses, according to an official report received from Gen. Townshend, the British commander.

The report says: "Yesterday the enemy launched a determined attack against a portion of positions which was repulsed with an enemy loss of from 600 to 800 killed and wounded. Our casualties were under 200."

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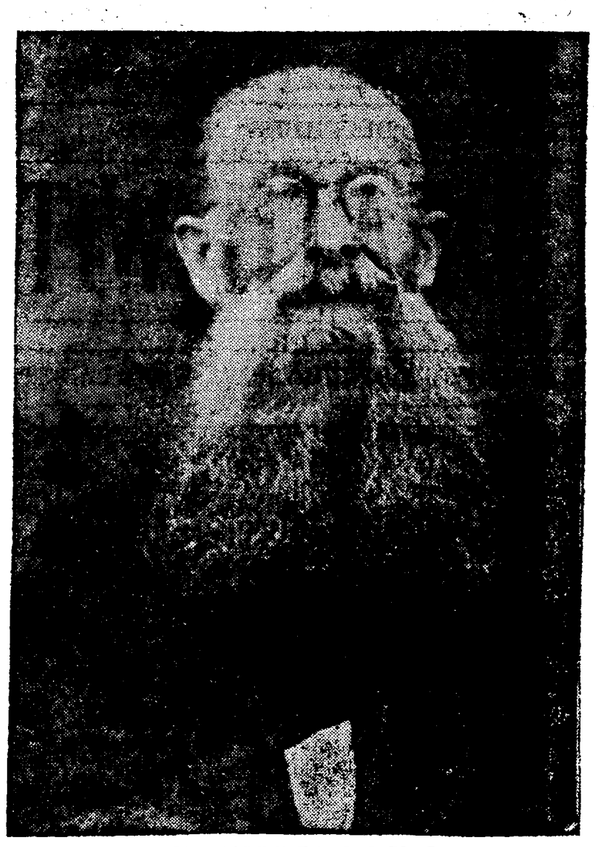

REV. JOSEPH HEITZ, C. PP. S.

Rev. Joseph Heitz, C. PP. S., the newly appointed chaplain of St. Joseph hospital, has arrived and assumed charge of his new duties. He came from Frank, Ohio, where he had been pastor of St. Marcus church for four years. Previous to that he had charge of St. John's Catholic church in Mercer county, Ohio.

WABASH ASKS REHEARING.

Wants Another Chance at Better Rates in Missouri.

Jefferson City, Mo., Dec. 27.—A motion for a rehearing of the application of the railroads for an increase in intrastate passenger and freight rates was filed with the Missouri public service commission today by the Wabash railroad. The order of the commission that tthe railroads issue interchangeable mileage is opposed as discriminatory. The recent order of the public service commission provided for one way passenger rates of 2½ cents a mile, round trip passenger fares of 2¾ cents and interchangeable and transferable mileage tickets at 2 cents a mile.

ANDREWS GOES TO NEW ORLEANS

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 27.—Tom Andrews, agent for the promoters of the bout between Jess Willard and Fred Fulton, slated for next March, left for New Orleans today, saying he would attempt to clear up the tangled situation resulting from rumored hitches in negotiations.

THE BIRTH RECORD

To Mr. and Mrs. Harry McLaughlin, 282 Bowser avenue—a girl.

To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur D. Kelker, 710 Madison street—a boy.

CONTAGIOUS DISEASE

Marciel Link, aged 8 years, and Wayne Link, aged 6 years, 1601 California avenue—scarlet fever.

BUILDING PERMITS

A. G. W. Curdes, 2-story frame residence, 2313 Webster street, $250.

Senator Stephen B. Fleming, his wife and two daughters, Geraldine and Josephine, arrived in Fort Wayne Sunday to spend the holidays.

IN THE CHURCHES

MEN'S BIBLE CLASS ELECTS.

Organization at St. John Reformed Holds First Annual Election.

The first annual election of officers of the Adult Men's Bible class of St. John Reformed church was held Sunday morning and officers for the coming year were named as follows: President, Christ Hessert; vice president, Fred Lew; secretary, Stees Sponhauer, and treasurer, Henry Peters. Rev. J. Bosch was re-elected teacher.

The annual meeting of the congregation will be held next Saturday afternoon, New Year's day. Several members of the consistory will be elected.

The annual election and meeting of the officers and teachers of the Sunday school will be held Wednesday evening at the regular meeting of this body.

The Young Ladies' guild of the church will give a watch party for all the young people in the church Friday evening.

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Tell Life Stories.

Local Gideons had charge of the meeting held Sunday evening at Trinity M. E. church. E. H. Lane presided and was assisted by W. M. Plank, Charles C. W. Gross, John S. House, Albert Grant, W. A. Morris and A. P. Double, who all told of their conversions and various incidents which occured while they were on the road for their respective companies. James Cotton, of Buffalo, was to have been present to speak but an unavoidable delay made it impossible for him to reach Fort Wayne in time.

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Celebrate Christmas Wednesday.

St. Andrew's chapel, 2325 South Wayne avenue, will hold its Yule-tide observance Wednesday night beginning at 7:30 o'clock and will be in the nature of a family gathering. Extensive decorations have been carried out and a Christmas tree with a present for everyone will be displayed. Rev. E. W. Averill will be the principle speaker.

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Services at County Infirmary.

Rev. Fred Wambsganss, assistant pastor of Emmaus Lutheran church will conduct services at the Allen county infirmary, Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Gifts will also be distributed among the inmates and the mission choir of Emmaus church will furnish special music for the occasion.

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She is now the target for much criticism as one of the leading members of the Ford peace pilgrimage and is even accused by Norwegian papers of being a paid agent of the Teutan government. She is said to be responsible for the Ford peace plan.

NOW EMERGING FROM GRIP OF THE STORM

New England Hard Hit by Bad Mixture of the Elements.

New York, Dec. 27.—Northern and eastern New England are slowly recovering today from the damage inflicted through yesterday's storm. A succession of rain, snow, lightning, sleet and thunder winding up with a gale that tore down wires and trees, unroofed houses and drove shipping ashore, caused widespread damage and many deaths and accidents.

Telegraphic communication in some sections was still interrupted today, owing to the leveling of telegraph poles by the wind. In a similar manner the signal system on the railways running north and northeast from New York were crippled.

Eight deaths in this city were directly or indirectly attributed to the storm. The wind here at one time attained a velocity of 90 miles an hour.

AT THE MAJESTIC.

Besiege Theater to See War in Movies —German War Pictures.

((From New York Press.)

A queue which reached from the Forty-fourth street theater west to eighth avenue, south to Forty-third street and fifty feet east in that thoroughfare at 10 o'clock last night, was awaiting admission to the theater to see the war pictures of the German and Austrian armies taken by Edwin F. Weigle, war correspondent.

The line began early in the morning. It was long when the theater opened at 11 o'clock, and at 2 o'clock thirty-five police reserves were called to preserve order. By night, forty-five patrolmen were on the job, with Captain Ormsby of the Forty-seventh street station in charge.

The plan was to give eight performances, from 11 o'clock in the morning until 11 o'clock at night, but F. Ziegfeld, jr., announced that he "would keep open all night if necessary" to take care of the patrons.

The pictures are stirring, carrying the spectator from camps at the outbreak of the war to the trenches, and finally showing the armies in action.

These pictures will be shown at the Majestic for three days, starting Monday night.

AT THE TEMPLE.

A GREAT MELODRAMA.

"No Mother to Guide Her" Pleases Theatergoers.

"No Mother to Guide Her" is having a great run at the Temple theater and will be played by the Temple Stock company throughout this week with matinee as well as evening performances daily. The play is one of the most popular melodramas ever presented and abounds with thrills. It was made famous by Lillian Mortimer and has always been welcomed by Fort Wayne theatergoers.

If you have ever seen Miss Mortimer in this play you will want to see little Miss Hamerick, the Temple favorite, in the part of Bunco. She has all the mannerisms of Miss Mortimer and has the audience laughing one minute and crying the next. Sure there is a villain and to Mr. Ford falls this thankless job. He plays his part well as is shown by the hisses which are heaped upon him by the excited gallery gods.

The Temple Stock company is under new management. All of the old favorites have been retained and in addition to these there are several newcomers who have greatly strengthened the company.

AT KEITH PALACE

STUNNING STYLES SHOWN.

Menlo Moore's Beautiful Feature Act at the New Palace.

It's an open question whether the girls are more stunning than the gowns or whether the creations are more striking than the lovely young models displaying them at the New Palace, but the two big houses that witnessed the debut performances of the new bill voted the Menlo Moore Style Revue's combination of exquisite gowns and millinery and beautiful young girls one of the most fascinating offerings the House of Moore ever gave to vaudeville. George Phelps and Frances Keppler do several singing and dancing numbers during the course of the Revue that are quite up to the Menlo Moore standard. They are an engaging looking couple.

Hirschel Hindler's autobiography done in snatches from popular airs is a novel bit of a turn that warms his audiences. Lawrence and Hurl-Falls, the knockabout comedians, try to commit suicide a half dozen times in a sensational tumbling act, but have failed so far. The somersault roller chair trick will get 'em yet. In doing this trick the knockabout man clambers to the top of a high platform, perches himself on a chair fitted with rollers and worries his audience half crazy until he finally tumbles off, landing safely (so far, anyway) and skidding off the stage. Dainty Gladys Vance, the charming chit, who invented the mirror dress, is using this novelty in her closing number and it is a prime hit. She is at her best, however, in her own original conception of the way Eva Tanguay's song, "I Don't Care," should be sung. Bobbe and Dale are presenting a clever little idea in the skit, "It Happened in Paris."

On Friday, New Year's eve, there will be two performances at the New Palace, one at 7:30 and the other at 9 o'clock.

AT THE ORPHEUM.

GOLDEN GATE TRIO HERE

Famous Singing Troupe Opens Permanent Engagement at Orpheum

The Golden Gate Trio, one of the best known singing organizations that ever toured over the Keith vaudeville circuits, and which has been disbanded for the past year, have reunited and will appear as a permanent musical attraction at the Orpheum theater, beginning today.

The trio boasts three of the greatest harmony singers of the country, Samuel L. Jackson, Frederick Hughes and Henry Weber. All are highly trained vocalists, possessed of exceptional singing voices, and particularly skilled in harmony work. Their engagement at the Orpheum will, without a doubt, create a sensation among Fort Wayne music lovers.

The film attractions shown today include the delicious comedy romance, "Captivating Mary Carstairs," picturized from Henry Snyder Harrison's novel of that title and featuring the adorable Norma Talmadge. The third episode of that startling political serial, "Graft," will laiso be shown. Tomorrow will find Lionel Barrymore at the Orpheum in "The Yellow Streak."

SHE'S ONLY 24, BUT SHE'S MOTHER OF GIRL, 20, WHOM SHE ADOPTED.

Mrs. M. E. Taggart, holding her baby, and her adopted daughter.

It's unusual for a happy young wife of 24 to adopt a daughter of 20, but Mrs. Marshall E. Taggart, of Chicago, though she has a chubby boy of 2 years old, has taken a "daughter" of 20, under her maternal care.

Although it was not the stork but a newspaper ad. that brought this "great big baby" to the Taggart family, the young mother declares she has true motherly love for her grown-up daughter. "I was always lonesome when Mr. Taggart made business trips out of the city," says the mother of the 20-year-old daughter. "I wanted a chum. One can't hire a chum, so after thinking the matter over I decided to adopt a grown-up 'daughter.' I advertised in the newspapers and I got a jewel of a girl who will be my daughter and my chum."

AT THE JEFFERSON.

"ALOHA OE"

Hawaiian Love Romance at the Jefferson Is Notably Beautiful.

"Aloha Oe," is a Thomas Ince dramatic subject that is satisfying. It opens with a trial scene of the most dramatically thrilling sort. A young New York lawyer takes a sea voyage and is wrecked among the South Sea islands. Later, in one of the islands, he meets Kalaniweo, a native girl, who believes him to be the son of the god of the volcano. For a time he is happy with her, but later departs for home. There he discovers many changes. His fiancee has married, he himself is thought dead and so he returns to the girl of the south. The picture is produced in a most spectacular manner. The court room scene has a wonderful effect; the storm at sea will exist a long time before it is equalled in realistic effect, and the eruption of the volcano is realistic enough to convince the most hypercritical. The other southern scenes are also nicely convincing, while the camera work is good throughout.

Wednesday and Thursday the second masterful offering of the gala week is Denman Thompson's "Old Homstead," produced on a lavish scale in keeping with this great American play, that has brought tears to the eyes and smiles to the lips of millions. You cannot afford to miss a single feature this week.

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James Hanley, Local Man, Gives Tanlac Credit for Improvement.

When residents of your own city, men and women you have known all your life, testify to the merits of any preparation, as James Hanley, 44 years old, a well known painter who lives at 608 East Lewis street did a few days ago, and scores of others have done recently, regarding Tanlac, the worth of that medicine should be proven. Mr. Hanley said:

"I suffered from catarrhal troubles. My stomach was affected with catarrh so that I did not properly digest what I ate, and catarrh of the nose and throat caused inflammation. My kidneys also were in bad condition so that I frequently suffered from severe pains in my back.

"I heard of Tanlac through the newspapers and decided to try it. After taking the medicine a short time the catarrh is entirely relieved and I have not felt better for years. In fact, I now feel as 'fine as silk.' Besides the relief from the catarrhal troubles, my kidneys also have been improved to such an extent that I do not suffer from the severe pains in my back now.

"My recommendation of Tanlac is based on the wonderful relief the medicine gave me. It is the best preparation for people suffering from ailments similar to those with which I was afflicted."

Tanlac, the Master Medicine referred to by Mr. Hanley is especially beneficial for catarrhal affections of the stomach, liver and kidneys, rheumatism, nervousness, loss of appetite, sleeplessness, general depression and the like.

Tanlac is now being introduced in Fort Wayne at the Wayne and Calhoun streets store of the Meyer Drug Co., where the Tanlac Man is explaining the new remedy. It also may be obtained at the other Meyer stores, Calhoun and Columbia, 1420 Calhoun and Broadway and Taylor.—Advertisement.

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NEWS OF FORT WAYNE'S NEIGHBORS

SHAD AND LOBSTERS SCARCE

Bureau of Fisheries Fears Depletion if Protection Is Not Given.

Washington, Dec. 27.—Shad and lobsters are disappearing rapidly, from American waters, despite artificial propagation efforts, according to the annual report of the United States bureau of fisheries. Co-operation and aid by state fishery authorities is suggested as a remedy for threatened depletion.

Shad fishing in the Chesapeake basin last year was the poorest known, said the report. Hatcheries by the bureau are inactive through inability to obtain eggs, it added, and would remain so unless shad were protected on their way from the sea to spawning grounds.

The decline in the lobster industry, the report declared, was viewed with great uneasiness. More efficiency in artificial propagation was urged as necessary to arrest diminution.

MARRIED FIFTY YEARS.

Auburn, Ind., Dec. 27.—Fifty years ago Friday, December 24, Hiram H. Cupp led to the marriage altar, Miss Fannie McClellan. The wedding was solemnized at the farm home two miles east of Auburn on the now Tom Harner farm. One of the greatest joys that has come into the lives of these two people was the gathering at their home on South Cedar street of their family and friends in commemoration of their golden wedding anniversary, Friday. Mr. Cupp was born March 11, 1841, and his wife, Fannie McClellan-Cupp, was born February 4, 1847. In July, 1861 he enlisted in company E of the Eleventh Indiana, and went to the front. During the summer of 1862 he came home on a furlough and while here he attended a barn raising at the farm of the bride's father, John McClellan, now owned by Thomas Harner, east of Auburn, and it was there that he first met the lady who later became his wife and has been his close companion for more than fifty years.

PROFIT SHARING PAYMENT.

Huntington, Ind., Dec. 27.—The employes of the Caswell-Runyan company, the largest manufacturers of cedar chests in the world, were given a genuine Christmas surprise Friday at the closing hour when each man was handed an envelope in which was contained a letter setting out a profit sharing plan inaugurated by the company this year. The company will divide with its employes thousands of dollars as a reward for faithful service. The last year has been the busiest in the history of the company, the volume exceeding even the most optimistic estimate placed upon it earlier in the season. As a result of the faithful manner in which the employes assisted in turning out the enormous production the company decided to show in some way their appreciation of the co-operation of the employes.

DESCRIBES WAR HORRORS.

Hartford City, Ind., Dec. 27.—Mrs. Harry Fordney, of this city, has received word from her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lloyd, of North Sunderland, England, in which they state that Mrs. Lloyd is a member of the ambulance corps there which takes care of injured soldiers just back from the front. Mrs. Lloyd describes some awful scenes of suffering. A soldier's badge welded into a brooch is also sent in the letter. There are a number of Hartford City people who have relatives engaged in the war and for that reason news from the various fronts is of more than passing interest in this city.

PLANS FOR EISTEDDFOD.

Van Wert, O., Dec. 27.—Plans are nearing completion for the Eisteddfod which will be held in the First M. E. church in this city, Jan. 21. Gomer, Lima and Venedocia have already written, saying that they have choirs both in the mixed and male chorus. At the afternoon session there will be a singing contest between the eighth grades of those towns. The big event of the day will be in the evening when the male, ladies' and mixed chorus will compete for prizes. The Eisteddfod is under the direction of Prof. James H. Jones, instructor of music in the public schools.

TRAMP BALLPLAYER GUILTY.

Portland, Ind., Dec. 27.—Guilty of assault and battery with intent to commit homicide, was the verdict of the jury in the case of the state against George Siler, the tramp ball player who assaulted George Cull, Noble township farmer, November 18 last, cutting Cull on the face, hand and throat with a razor. Judge Denney sentenced Siler to the prison at Michigan City for an indeterminate term of two to fourteen years.

TEACHERS RESTORE "TREAT."

Hartford City, Ind., Dec. 27.—The township teachers "treated" this year. Last year the time-honored custom was abandoned by some of the teachers and a wail went up from all parts of the county. This year the old custom was readopted and on the closing day of the term for the township schools, the usual treat was given.

HOLIDAY ELOPERS WED.

Hillsdale, Mich., Dec. 27.—Emmitt R. Sidey, a barber, of Montpelier, Ohio, and Miss Stella B. Abshire, of Keystone, Ind., eloped to this city last Friday, and were married at the court house by Justice C. M. Weaver.

NEW HAVEN NEWS.

New Haven, Ind., Dec. 27.—Miss Bertha Adams, a student of Indiana university at Bloomington, is home for the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bolyard and little son, of Indianapolis, are visiting relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sanders and daughter, of Roanoke, are spending several days with Will Schnitker and family and Lester Girardot and family.

Mrs. Edna Seida, of Chicago, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jacquay and family.

Miss Hilda Ashley, of Detroit, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ashley.

Frank Gabet, who has been working at Kendallville, is spending several days with his mother, Mrs. Joe Gabet.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Federspiel entertained the following at their home on Christmas day: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Federspiel and family, from Fort Wayne; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Federspiel and little son, Hartzell; Mr. and Mrs. George Federspiel and family, Mr. and Mrs. Albon Federspiel and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Welling.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Schnitker entertained the following at dinner Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. George Sanders, of Roanoke; Mrs. Hannah Sanders, Misses Hester Wolf and Helen Lindeman, of Fort Wayne.

Several of the members of the Woodmen lodge attended a banquet given by the Fort Wayne Woodmen on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. R. J. Blackwell and children, Richard and Georgianna, are spending the holidays with relatives at Macy, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mosier, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harrington and son, Ray, spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ginther, at Fort Wayne.

Mr. William Gerardot and son, Lawrence, of Detroit, are spending several days with the former's mother, Mrs. Susan Gerardot.

The funeral of Mr. August Humbert was held Friday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. August France. Rev. Powell, of the M. E. church, officiating. Interment was made in the I. O. O. F. cemetery.

The Monroeville basket ball team lost to the New Haven Floral team in a game here Thursday evening by a score of 18 and 39.

Miss Lulu Kern, of Marion, Ind., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Schuckman.

Mrs. E. J. Parrish, of Buffalo, N. Y., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Swap.

The Christmas entertainments given at the Protestant churches and Lutheran church were highly enjoyed by large audiences.

Mrs. Earl Schnitz, of Fort Wayne, spent Thursday with Mrs. W. E. Bowers.

Ed S. Tripner has gone to Harrisburg, where he will visit relatives for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Schnitker are issuing invitations to a reception they are giving Thursday evening in honorof their twentieth wedding anniversary.

Several from here attended the Stemler-Ziuk wedding at Gar Creek yesterday.

Mrs. Mary Cohogan, whose death occurred Saturday evening at her home in Fort Wayne, was a sister of Mrs. Lena Lupkin, of this place.

The New Haven Floral basket ball team played the Spencerville team at that place Saturday night. The score stood 26 and 21 in favor of Spencerville.

Glenn Grubb spent Christmas with relatives at Auburn.

MONROEVILLE NEWS.

Monroeville, Ind., Dec. 27.—Bert Mundorff and family, of Plymouth, Ind., are the guests of Thomas Taylor and family and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Geyer, of Fort Wayne, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Miller.

Albert Bowers, of New Haven, and John Bowers, of Fort Wayne, spent Friday with their father, Adam Bowers and wife.

Dr. C. L. Meyers and family spent Christmas with relatives at Minster, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Centlivre and daughter, Mae, Frank Centlivre and Miss Irene Miller, of Fort Wayne, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Piel at the D. E. Kauffman home Tuesday.

Castyle Zartman is spending the holiday vacation with relatives at Young America, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ireland and Smith Nelson and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Dickerson, at Convoy, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Dressell spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives at Convoy.

Fred Schaab and family, of Fort Wayne, and C. W. Harris and family of Toledo, O., spent Sunday with Dr. D. E. Kauffman and family.

Mrs. H. M. Ankney and daughter, of Sturgis, Mich.; Mrs. Wm. Sunderland and children, of Spencerville, O., are here for the holidays with relatives.

J. Magner was at Decatur on business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Peckham are at Pearl Lake, Mich., the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Peckham.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Krick are at Anderson, Ind., the guests of Frank Heller and family.

Norman Geyer is home from Purdue university for the holiday vacation.

There will be work in the Masters degree at the Masonic lodge room Monday evening and on Wednesday evening the Masons and Eastern Star will have a joint installation to which all Masons and wives are invited, following this the Eastern Star ladies will serve refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Barrone spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. F. Jerome in Fort Wayne.

Walter Crabill, of Columbus, O., is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Crabill and other relatives.

Oscar Rhodes was home from Fort Wayne Friday and Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rhodes.

A Christmas tree in the home of W. A. Maddox, 1723 Sherman street, caught fire at 8:20 o'clock Saturday evening, but the blaze was extinguished before extensive damage had been done.

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BRUTAL HUSBAND IS SENT TO JAIL

Henry Truebenbach Beat Up His Wife During a Quarrel.

Henry Truebenbach, a well known man residing on the Goshen road in the northern environs of the city, pleaded guilty Monday morning in the city court to a charge of assault and battery, preferred by his wife, and was fined $10 and costs and given thirty days in jail. Unless the fine and costs are paid he will be in confinement for forty-five days. Mrs. Truebenbach said that he came home last Wednesday under the influence of liquor and gave her a beating, knocking her down and cutting her face. She was out in the highway when the police arrived. The woman testified that after beating her up, her husband taunted her to this effect:

"If you're game, you'll call the police; but you ain't game to do it."

Mrs. Truebenbach was game, however, for Stationmaster Joe Degitz was there with the wagon in a few minutes. Mrs. Truebenbach stated that her husband drank much and when drinking mistreated her. His defense was that his wife ignored him about household and business matters and consulted her married children and the neighbors. It also was developed that he cherishes a suspicious jealousy. The couple have been married twenty-six years.

MISHAPS REPORTED TO POLICE

W. H. Siples, 1117 Packard avenue, report to police headquarters that while driving his automobile south on Broadway at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon he was run into from the rear by an interurban car. In the crash Mrs. Siples was painfully injured.

R. W. Tyler, 305 East Pontiac street, reported to headquarters Sunday, that while driving his jitney on Calhoun street a woman stepped from in front of a street car and was struck by his automobile and knocked down. He said the woman got up and walked away before he could obtain her name. Tyler said her view of his approach was obstructed by the street car. Later the police learned the woman was Mrs. Miller, of 215 East Lewis street, and her story was that the jitney was driven past the car while it was stopped to discharge passengers. She was bruised about the back and side.

A horse hitched to a sleigh rented from Gust Horstman and driven by two young men, ran away Saturday afternoon, taking fright when the cutter caught on a street car rail at Calhoun and Wallace streets and capsized, spilling the occupants. The horse ran to the alley north of Baker street, where it took to the sidewalk, pursuing that track to Brackenridge street, then turning west and galloping across front yards to No. 229 on that thoroughfare, where it fell and was captured.

Long Term for Jack Case at Farm

Jack Case, an unspeakable degenerate, who has kept the police busy in Fort Wayne for many years, was fined $100 and given six months at the state penal farm on a charge of public indecency. The penalty will keep him at the plantation for 290 days. Case was arrested Friday on West Berry street, where he had been committing a shocking offense. Case was sent to the farm in April for six months on a sentence by the circuit court and had been back for only a few weeks when he was again arrested. The police are satisfied he is the pervert whose indecencies have been complained of in various parts of the city for some time.

Bert Ward Will Tarry Awhile

Bert Ward was fined $10 and costs and went to jail for fifteen days on a charge of disorderly conduct. He was arrested last week while loitering about the entrance to the woman's comfort station at the court house and accosting young ladies. He has been in trouble before.

Other City Court Cases

Fred Kreps, who pleaded guilty last Friday to a charge of petit larceny and was continued until Monday for judgment, drew $5 and costs and thirty days in jail. He stole from a saloon a suit case belonging to a man named Wilson, who had left the bag in the place.

Andrew Delaney, a Sunday drunk, was fined $5 and costs and went to jail. Jim Sweeney, Charles Lindy and Fred Evans, drunks, were turned loose, as was George Ryan, a vag.

Ernest Bowman, on a charge of child neglect, was continued until Tuesday and his bond remained fixed at $200. The cases against Mose Dahibe, assault and battery, and John Smyers, child neglect, were dismissed on motion of the prosecuting attorney.

HUNTER SHOOTS HIMSELF

Did Not Believe Shell Had Reached the Chamber of the Rifle

Vincennes, Ind., Dec. 27.—Edward Scales, age seventeen, accidentally killed himself with a repeating Winchester rifle. Scales, Edward Pennington and Evalt Grote were hunting near the city limits. Scales put the rifle to his heart saying: "Don't you believe I can shoot myself?" and pulled the trigger. His death resulted in three minutes.

Scales had loaded the rifle himself, but did not know the shell had reached the chamber of the weapon. His parents and two sisters survive. The young man had been employed in the Indian Creek coal mines as a loader.

BUTTER CONTEST TO BE HELD

Prizes Will Be Offered for Best Exhibits at State Meeting.

Lafayette, Ind., Dec. 27.—The Indiana State Dairy association will hold a butter scoring contest in connection with its twenty-sixth annual meeting here at Purdue university, on January 13 and 14. Creamery butter in five, ten or twenty-pound packages, scoring more than 91 points, will share $50 in prizes. In addition, $5 extra will be awarded to the highest scoring butter. First, second and third prizes of $5, $3, and $2, respectively, will be awarded to exhibitors of country butter in five-pound packages or prints.

H. C. Mills, of West Lafayette, secretary of the association, is in charge of the contests.

Lee J. Ninde left Monday for New York and Washington to attend the National City Planning conference and the annual convention of the American Civic association.

Bright Plumage for the Outdoor Girl

By Betty Brown

The out-door girl is a girl of gay plumage. The suit in which she skates or hikes, or plays hockey will be severely plain if she is a true sportswoman, but it's colors will rival the rainbow.

Here's a suit you'll see often on rinks this winter—a heavy skirt of black and white check, a bright green sweater and a cap to match, a green scarf striped with white, and white angora gloves. The skirt, of course, may serve for general street wear, so the suit is by no means extravagant.

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THE SENTINEL'S DAILY SCRIPTURE READING.

Psalm 34:1-22.

1 I will bless the Lord at all times: his praise shall continually be in my mouth.
2 My soul shall make her boast in the Lord: the humble shall hear thereof, and be glad.
3 O magnify the Lord with me, and let us exalt his name together.
4 I sought the Lord, and he heard me, and delivered me from all my fears.
5 They looked unto him, and were lightened: and their faces were not ashamed.
6 This poor man cried, and the Lord heard him, and saved him out of all his troubles.
7 The angel of the Lord encampeth round about them that fear him, and delivereth them.
8 O taste and see that the Lord is good: blessed is the man that trusteth in him.
9 O fear the Lord, ye his saints: for there is no want to them that fear him.
10 The young lions do lack, and suffer hunger: but they that seek the Lord shall not want any good thing.
11 Come, ye children, harken unto me: I will teach you the fear of the Lord.
12 What man is he that desireth life, and loveth many days, that he may see good?
13 Keep thy tongue from evil, and thy lips from speaking guile.
14 Depart from evil, and do good; seek peace, and pursue it.
15 The eyes of the Lord are upon the righteous, and his ears are open unto their cry.
16 The face of the Lord is against them that do evil, to cut off the remembrance of them from the earth.
17 The righteous cry, and the Lord heareth, and delivereth them out of all their troubles.
18 The Lord is nigh unto them that are of a broken heart; and saveth such as be of a contrite spirit.
19 Many are the afflictions of the righteous: but the Lord delivereth him out of them all.
20 He keepeth all his bones: not one of them is broken.
21 Evil shall slay the wicked: and they that hate the righteous shall be desolate.
22 The Lord redeemeth the soul of his servants: and none of them that trust in him shall be desolate.

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The Mail Man at Holiday Time.

Fort Wayne postoffice authorities agree that the volume of mail, both incoming and outgoing, handled during the present holiday season has been far in excess of that of any previous Christmas time. Literal mountains of it—letters, cards, packages, papers and parcels of all sizes, kinds, weights and descriptions—were moved daily during the rush, and early and late the mail men were pushing forward in their gigantic task of delivering to expectant, eager addressees the gifts and the greetings that supplemented the daily tide of ordinary mail that flows in and out of the federal building in Fort Wayne.

Nor was this city an exception. It was the same everywhere, the task varying in locality rather than in degree. Everywhere the mail man was confronted by a monumental job, and we think it will be agreed that he has performed it well. The mail man who can preserve his good nature and feel in his heart the responsive good cheer that pervades the rest of the general public in the face of his duties at the Christmas season is in a fine type of the human family that is entitled to something more than Uncle Sam has yet given him. His job is never a light or easy one, and at the holiday season of Christmas cheer it is anything but a joyous one. We think long service in a position such as his amply merits the civil service retirement privilege for which he has been earnestly, but, up to this time, rather fruitlessly contending. Have a heart for the mail man.

Occasionally we have substantial proof of the fact that a real heart beats in the breast of the millionaire, after all. The newest instance in point has to do with none other than Henry C. Frick, who has come forward with the voluntary announcement that he will reimburse some 41,000 Pittsburg school children for losses of their savings amounting to about $170,000 by the failure of a savings bank at Pittsburg. Mr. Frick, too, is one of the wealthy men who has been a special target of attack in the past, and he has been given some extremely bitter verbal punishment for his course in dealing with the labor problem as it developed in the vast steel industries with which he has been identified. To many who do not know the man, and who have formed their judgment solely from reading and from hearsay testimony, his present action will reveal a wholly unsuspected phase of his nature that does him infinite credit.

Washington dispatches bring the information that a coterie of influential republican leaders has just held a quiet little conference there, talked over the situation behind closed doors, reached the conclusion that Charles Warren Fairbanks, of Indiana, is the most advantageous selection as a republican presidential nominee, and resolved to "put him over." There will be plenty of latitude for the extolling of other favorite sons, but when the liking for that sort of thing has been sated, and the psychological moment has arrived, Mr. Fairbanks will be chosen. As a matter of fact, this is precisely how it is often done.

Following the earlier example set by some of the others, Mrs. Inez Milholland Boissevain and Governor Hanna, of North Dakota, have quit the Ford peace party in Sweden, and are preparing to return home. It is becoming apparent that Great Britain is not alone in facing the possible necessity for conscription in order to keep the ranks full. The chief difficulty encountered by the Ford peace party thus far appears not to have been the chilly reception accorded it in Europe, but the lack of high official commissions to go completely 'round to all the privates in the ranks.

The four Terre Haute election gangsters paroled from Leavenworth prison were given a royal welcome on their return to Terre Haute, a big crowd being on hand at the station to extend greetings and salutations, with Mayor Gossom conspicuous in the multitude. In the absence of recorded information to the effect that a band was present to play "See the Conquering Hero Comes," we take it that this fully expected detail was somehow overlooked.

Still, there seemed to be no pressing need for the discovery by the medical fraternity of a new disease that may prove fatal in the case of automobilists—"petromortis," or asphyxiation from the gaseous exhaust of the motor car. The automobile has managed to maintain a rather high average of mortality by merely running into something else, another of its kind or by indulgence in acrobatics not usually seen outside the circus ring or off the vaudeville stage.

PHILADELPHIA DRAPES CITY HALL IN SYMPATHY FOR TRAGEDY OF ARMENIA.

The photograph shows the black drape over one of the entrances to the public buildings, Philadelphia, to show the sympathy of the city for Armenians who have been so murderously treated by the Turks. This draping of the public buildings is especially significant as the mayor of Philadelphia, Rudolph Blankenburg, was born in Germany.

A NEW KIND OF POLITICS

(New York World)

Mingled with the approving chorus that follows the naming of Oscar Straus as chairman of the public service commission, come mutterings of "politics." The Tribune, in particular, says that "Gov. Whitman has named an eminent citizen because he was three years ago the aggressive candidate for governor."

That is not the reason which would first occur to most readers of the news. They would naturally suppose that the governor had tired of constant scandal and had resolved to name a man upon whom no suspicion could fall that he was accepting the office as anything less or other than a public trust, to be accepted and fulfilled with an eye single to the general interest.

But suppose that is politics. Suppose Gov. Whitman is trying to help heal the great schism in the old republican part. Suppose he has an eye upon a senatorship, a presidency or any honor to which an American may aspire. That would be politics, but the Straus appointment is at least a new kind of politics to associate with the public service commission.

It is the kind of politics that, if continued, should restore the public service commission to be what it was meant to be when the law that has been a model to many other states was passed. It is the kind of politics that would at last apply ability and purpose to the regulation of service corporations. It would be the kind of politics to win and keep public approval.

APPLES IN STORAGE

(Indiana Daily Times)

Indiana at this time has in cold storage 33 1-3 per cent. more apples than were on hand a year ago. And this, too, in spite of the story very generally told, that the Indiana apple crop of 1915 was not fitted for storage. It will be recalled that when thousands of bushels of beautiful apples were being allowed to rot on the ground, apple buyers asserted that the wasted fruit was not of a quality that would keep. In spite of the wasted tons of apples, the storage supply is one-third larger than last year. The apple crop certainly was a whopper. It is a pity with tens of thousands of bushels of good apples, and with hundreds of thousands of apple-hungry people longing for the fruit, some method of distribution could not have been devised independently of the cold storage plan. It is a pity that luxury prices prevailed for apples all through the period when tens of thousands of bushels of the finest aples were rotting. One of the shames of our shoddy civilization is its indolent neglect of just such problems as that of feeding the people with the real product of the land at honest prices.

HAD RIGHT TO SHOOT RABBIT

H. P. Gates Acquitted for Killing Animal Said to Have Been a Pet.

Valparaiso, Ind., Dec. 27.—H. P. Gates had a right to kill a rabbit that entered the city limits and began the destruction of a fruit tree there, according to Mayor Sisson, who dismissed a case against Gates by Mrs. P. A. Gant, the wife of a musician. The rabbit is said to have been the pet of Mrs. Gant's five-year-old daughter. She said the child became hysterical when she learned it had been shot.

DRINK WATER TO AVOID SICKNESS SAYS AUTHORITY

Glass of hot water before breakfast daily keeps the doctor away.

Sanitary science has of late made rapid strides with results that are of untold blessing to humanity. The latest application of its untiring research is the recommendation that it is as necessary to attend to internal sanitation of the drainage system of the human body as it is to the drains of the house.

Those of us who are accustomed to feel dull and heavy when we arise, splitting headache, stuffy from a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, can instead, feel as fresh as a daisy by opening the sluices of the system each morning and flushing out the whole of the internal poisonous stagnant matter.

Everyone, whether ailing, sick or well, should, each morning before breakfast, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver and bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and poisonous toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach. The action of hot water and limestone phosphate on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases, waste and acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast. While you are enjoying your breakfast the phosphated hot water is quietly extracting a large volume of water from the blood and getting ready for a thorough flushing of all the inside organs.

The millions of people who are bothered with constipation, bilious spells, stomach trouble, rheumatic stiffness; others who have sallow skins, blood disorders and sickly complexions are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store. This will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone a pronounced crank on the subject of internal sanitation.—Advertisement.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

What the Sentinel Had to Say About Persons and Events Twenty-Five Years Ago.

P. A. Randall is in Rochester, N. Y., on business.

Dave Spencer, the cigar dealer, remembered the members of the police force with cigars Christmas.

Dr. A. J. Laubach has returned home from the east and is again attending to his practice.

Prosecuting Attorney-elect Phil B. Colerick, who has been dangerously ill, is reported better.

Mrs. Jesse L. Williams was seriously ill, following a severe chill, yesterday, but is improved.

Employes of the painting department in the Olds wagon works presented their foreman, A. Schulte, with a fine silk umbrella Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Holverstott, of Grand Rapids, Mich., are visiting in this city, which was formerly their home.

With its last issue the Monroeville Breeze closed the seventh year of its existence. Editor J. D. Allegar is issuing a newspaper that merits the support of his community.

A bald eagle measuring eight feet from tip to tip of its wings has been killed on the farm of John Kline in Jackson. The giant bird was slain by a Mr. Laneger.

George Potter, of the civil engineering corps of the Nickel Plate railroad, and Fred Crall, of the Hoosier Manufacturing company, spent Christmas with their parents in Ashland, Ohio.

L. D. McNutt, superintendent of the street railway, is at Waterloo, Mich., to purchase horses to take the place of the sixty horses burned to death in the fire that destroyed the company's east end stables.

Henry C. Berghoff and a Rothschild have transferred the artificial ice plant to the Artificial Ice company, the consideration being $190,000. The company now consists of these gentlemen and R. T. McDonald.

There has been filed in the office of County Recorder M. M. Thompson a mortgage showing the Findlay, Fort Wayne & Western railroad has borrowed of the Washington Trust company, New York, and Allen Zollars, trustee, the sum of $1,440,000.

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ANAESTHETIC? BAH! MUSIC SOOTHES THIS MAN'S PAIN AS HE IS CUT UP ON OPERATING TABLE.

Dr. Edward Kraus and two bars from "Tschaikowsky's 1812 Overture."

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 27.—The ether cap, skopomaline, chloroform, cocaine and such other anesthetics approved by science were cast aside for the soothing effects of music when Dr. Edmond Kraus, a prominent vocalist of Minneapolis, submitted to an operation in the chambers of Dr. Charles Benjamin Wright.

Today Dr. Kraus is proudly citing the incident as proof of his long held belief that music, to the musician, is as good a pain killer, and as soothing as cocaine is to the man without an artistic sense.

"I absolutely felt no pain," Dr. Kraus remarked. "No pain absolutely. It was all along just as if I were dreaming."

"Dr. Wright said I must take "Tchaikowssky's 1812 overture, "And that is what I took.

"Tchaikowskys' 1812 overture, played on an excellent gramaphone placed close to the operating table all the while the physician was driving his sharp knives and lances into my throat.

"The operation proves what I have long believed, that music is the best anesthetic for musicians. For the man possessing an artistic sense skopamaline, cocaine, ether, chloroform, and such things are not needed, I say. "Music is sufficient. It has soothed the wildest rage of savage beasts. Why then should it not sooth mortal pains? Thus I argued when I went on the operating table and by personal test proved my belief."

Supporting Dr. Kraus' statement Dr. Wright today declared that the artist appeared quite insensible to pain during the operation.

"It was a remarkable demonstration," Dr. Wright said. "If I had not seen the thing with my own eyes I would not have believed it possible."

DIES 4 WEEKS AFTER STARTING WORK HERE

Prof. Blomenberg, an Emmaus Teacher, Answers Final Summons.

Only four weeks after he had accepted a call to become a teacher at Emmaus Lutheran parochial schools and following an illness of but three days, Prof. Albert C. Blomenberg died at the Lutheran hospital early Sunday morning. Death was due to peritonitis which, it is thought, developed from an operation which he underwent nearly a year ago.

The deceased was born in Adams county, near Friedheim, twenty-six years ago, and his untimely death will come as a great shock to his many friends in this city as well as in the adjoining county. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Blomenberg, and received his early education at the Friedheim schools. Later he attended the seminary at Addison, Ill., and graduated a few years ago. He was an accomplished musician and had specialized on the piano and organ.

Prof. Blomenberg had also proven his ability as composer and one of his selections was rendered at the morning services Christmas day at Emmaus Lutheran church.

Besides the widow he it survived by the parents and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Paulina Buuck, of Fort Wayne; the Misses Clara, Adelia and Meta Blomenberg, at home, and August and Martin Blomenberg.

The body will be held at Klaehn & Melching's parlors until Tuesday noon when it will be removed to the residence of his uncle, Conrad C. Witte, 1401 Swinney avenue. Funeral services there Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock and at 2 o'clock at Emmaus Lutheran church. The body will then be taken to the home of his parents in Friedheim, where services will be held Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock and at 2 o'clock at the Friedheim Lutheran church, Rev. Preuss officiating. This will be an auto funeral both here and at the former home.

The following Lutheran school teachers will serve as pallbearers: H. Konow, of Emmaus; A. Koldewey, of Goeglein; Carl Floering, of Emmaus; H. Katt, of Trinity; William Benhoff, of Zion's, and Martin Pohlmann, of Concordia.

The city of Toronto has expended nearly $2,000,000 in erecting and equipping one of the largest and best appointed industrial schools in North America.

YOUNG WOMAN RESCUES BOY

Finds Carl Vetter, Age Seven, Struggling in Water of Mill Race.

Elkhart, Ind., Dec. 27.—"Can't you get out, Carl?" was the question Joseph Vetter, age five, asked his brother Carl, age seven, when Miss Mabel Searls was walking over a railroad bridge at a millrace here.

Miss Searls had seen neither boy. Looking over the edge of the bridge, she saw Carl struggling in the water. She lay flat on the bridge and extended her hand to the boy as the current bore him past her.

Miss Searls seized his hand, and, still creeping on the bridge, aided him to reach solid ice, from which he scrambled to the bank. Then she took him home.

Mrs. Charles W. Vetter, the mother, explained that the two little boys had got up from bed before their parents to go out to play with a new sled. The sled had slipped into the race.

Words of Praise for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

"Last winter I used two bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," writes Mrs. John Miller, Roanoke, Ind. "It cured me of a severe cold on the lungs and an aggravating cough. I have recommended this remedy to a great many people who have used it and have nothing but words of praise for it." Obtainable everywhere.—Advertisement.

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SOON TO BE TARGET OF BIG GERMAN GUNS—SALONIKI, THE ALLIES' BASE IN THE BALKANS.

The map above shows the plan of the Greek port of Saloniki, the base upon which the Allied forces in the Balkans have retired. An eighty mile war zone has been declared about the city and all Greeks except a few government representatives have withdrawn. It is toward this city tabt the Teuton-Bulgar forces are now driving.

MANY NEW FEATURES IN SHIPPING BILL

Some of the Provisions of Plan Proposed by Mr. McAdoo.

By Gilson Gardner

Washington, Dec. 27.—A lot of new features have been worked out by Secretary McAdoo in his new shipping bill—the full text of which will be introduced in the house after the holidays. Following are its principal provisions:

1. The government to build in American shipyards.

2. The ships to be of the oil-burning type, of size ranging from 3,000 to 10,000 tons displacement.

3. The type to be standardized by government experts, so that the vessels shall be specially adapted to use as colliers and auxiliaries to the navy.

4. Ships to be built both in private and in government-owned ship-yards; the latter yards to be additionally equipped to do the work.

5. The government to have power to sell, lease, or buy ships.

6. The government to act through a stock-issuing corporation of whose stock the government would hold at least 51 per cent.

7. The sum of fifty millions to be appropriated as a starter.

8. Regulation of marine freight rates to be attempted through a commission similar to the interstate commerce commission.

9. Regulation of foreign ships doing business in American ports through requiring foreign ships to secure a license before doing business here.

Perhaps the most important feature of McAdoo's plan is the opening up of the semi-abandoned government shipyards. Many of these yards were located in the day of the wooden cutter and are too far inland and have too shallow water to float the great steel fighting ships of the modern navy. The latter are constructed in private yards where water is deep, and the government yards are kept occupied mostly with little pottering jobs, and except for political influence would long since have been abandoned. The proposed oil-burning auxiliaries are small enough so they could be built in these government yards and the passage of this legislative would be a boon to all districts having them.

The private shipyards meantime cannot object since they are practically all contracted up to their full capacity for three years to come.

The importance of oil as a fuel is keenly felt by Secretary McAdoo. Indeed, McAdoo is almost prepared to predict that sea-going transportation is about to undergo a revolution as important as that from wooden ships to steel and sails to steam. The fuel oil ship is quite different from the steamship and its advantages may be such that the steamship fleet will soon be scrapped. Added cargo space, speed, and economy are among the advantages of the oil-burning ship, but in considering their use for naval purposes this country is not blind to the fact that the United States and Mexico are the principal sources of oil supply. While foreign nations would have to buy fuel the United States could take its fuel from natural reserves within the country's borders.

The navy needs about fifty auxiliary ships. When Roosevelt sent the navy around the world, it was necessary to charter more than this number of foreign vessels to carry coal and provisions. The new oil-burning ships would have special facilities for trans-shipping coal or other supplies at sea, and in other ways would be specially adapted to their possible war use. In times of peace they would serve as the beginning of an American freight-carrying fleet which would aid in building up our foreign commerce.

KEPT INDOORS BY SNOW

Wilson Devotes Morning to Papers from Washington.

Hot Springs, Va., Dec. 27.—Heavy snow kept President Wilson in doors today and he devoted the morning to papers from Washington. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson planned to go motoring later in the day. One of the questions before him was the selection of postmaster for New York city. Several applications for pardons also were under consideration.

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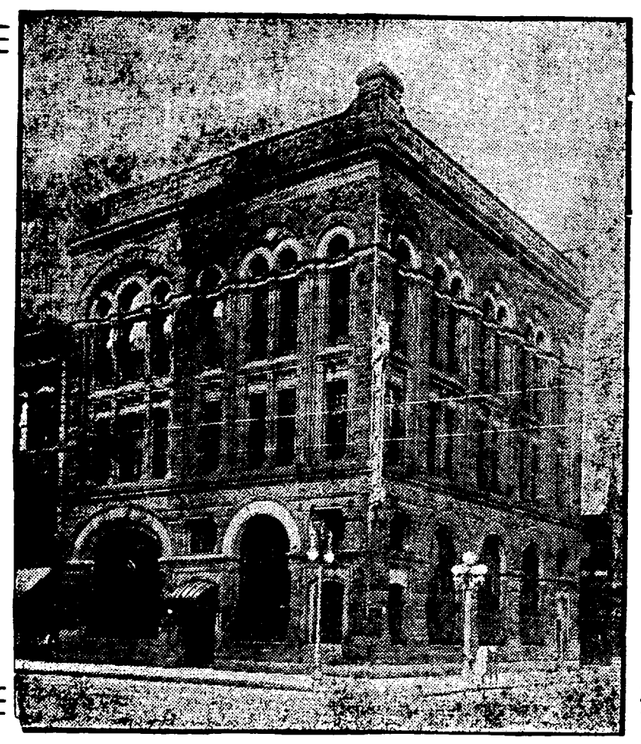

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"I'll Come Back to Kill, Not Fellow Mexicans, But Gringoes," Says Villa

Correspondent Bruce, in Only Interview With Vanquished Leader, Tells How Pancho Seized Foreigners as Hostage for Wife's Jewels, Seized by Uncle Sam.

By David Bruce

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Chihuahua, Mexico, Dec. 25.—Pancho Villa, beaten down at last, is leaving Mexico, but as he flees he trumpets a warning to the United States that some day he will return—not to kill his fellow-Mexicans, but to fight the hated Gringo.

Here is the amazing message which this extraordinary leader gave to me on the day he rode out of Chihuahua and left the city to Carranza's conquering troops:

"I have many cartridges yet but I will not use them against my fellow-Mexicans. I will leave here. I will allow the Carrancista's to take the city. "But I tell you, as I tell my people, the Carrancitas are the advance guard of the gringoes. The gringoes, lusting for gold and riches of this great country, will follow them.

"And when they do, my countrymen will call for Pancho Villa again, and I will be ready.

"That day I will find use for the cartridges I will not use against my countrymen."

Villa, the ex-bandit, the unlettered idol of the peons was about to mount the horse upon which he rode out of the Plaza Hidalgo never to return—except, perhaps, to make good his threat against the gringoes.

Short, squat and common-looking, he gazed across the crowded plaza. Tears gathered in his eyes and rolled down the tanned cheeks.

He had just finished a speech at a great mass meeting of the people. He had told them in simple pleasant language that he was ready to lay aside the sword with which he had almost won the presidency of Mexico.

"Where am I going now?" he said. "The owls of the mountains have their crevices, and surely God will not deny Pancho Villa and those who have been faithful to him and to Mexico any less. "I have said goodbye to my people

Gen. Villa

but also I have said, 'goodbye until you call me.'

"And when they do call Pancho Villa will not fail them!"

Villa left behind him 39 foreigners—31 Americans, five Germans and three Britishers—whom he was holding for ransom. They were released as soon as Villa left town.

Villa had demanded for their release $30,000—the exact value of the jewelry which United States officials took from his wife when she fled across the border.

The officers said she had not declared the gems. But Villa, knowing little of custom laws, was enraged.

The 39 formed the entire foreign population of the lumber town of Madera, 100 miles west of this city. They were brought here by Villa in his flight from Sonora.

Madera Lumber Co. officials had fled without paying their 900 native employees. Villa stopped their train and ordered them by wire to pay $30,000. They agreed. The reason for the amount asked was not apparent till Villa asked Charlie Powers, paymaster of the Northwestern railroad:

"Has your wife any jewelry?"

"A little—her engagement and wedding rings and a few trinkets of little value."

"Did I ever ask you for her jewelry" Villa exploded.

"No."

"But the United States government took my wife's jewelry from her in El Paso—$30,000 worth," said Villa.

The next morning the 39 foreigners were seized as hostages for the payment of the sum. They were threatened with imprisonment in the penitentiary, but Villa finally agreed to intern them in the Palace hotel.

CELEBRATE AS BIG GUNS BOOM

German Troops in France Not Denied Christmas Festivities.

XMAS TREES GLOW ALL ALONG LINE

Gifts from Home Reach the War-Torn Troops on Battle Lines.

With The German Army in Northern France, Dec. 24.—(Via Lille and Berlin to London, Dec. 27.—4:47 a. m.)—War is no respector of customs. Therefore there was no change of activity along the line in northern France on Christmas eve. If possible the French artillery fire more nearly approximated the celebrated "drum fire" of the late September offensive than at any time since then.

Christmas to the average German, however, is the most important day of the year, and they refused to allow the French army to spoil their celebration. All along the line Christmas trees blazed almost as if in opposition to the flare of exploding shells.

How They Celebrated.

In order to spend the evening as nearly as possible in the accustomed way members of the company gathered in a little wooden building, just behind the front. A tiny stage had been erected for the inevitable orchestra and speakers and in one corner stood a little Christmas tree laden with tinsel and sweets. Adjoining it were long tables on which were gifts for the soldiers—cigars, socks, chocolate and all kinds of wearing apparel—mostly home made articles stitched by loving fingers and intended to lessen in some degree at least the rigors of winter time war.

Not many of the company was less than 39 years old and the majority of them were 45. The majority, too, had sons in the field and many had lost their nearest and dearest.

Music is Devotional.

The music was, without exception, devotional, rather than patriotic. The room fairly shook as the bearded men, most of them peasants, stood and sang hymn after hymn. After the first song servants brought in huge mugs of beer sent especially from Bavarian breweries.

The captain had received literally bales of presents for his men and as far as possible had divided them equally. They lay in little piles on the tables. Accidentally, or through design, each soldier had to pass his captain and for each the commanding officer had some special greeting.

"Hello, Fritz, have you something from your wife?" "Merry Christmas, Johann. Is that boy of yours getting better?" were examples of his salutations.

Cannon were booming meanwhile and the glare of exploding shells was constantly visible. When a shell exploded especially near or with an unusually loud report the whole room broke into laughter. As midnight approached the scene became gayer. Except for the uniforms one could not have guessed the celebrants were soldiers who had been separated from their families for months and who had lost relatives on the battlefield.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR ATTEND SERVICES

In accordance with their custom of the annual observance of St. John's day, the members of Fort Wayne commandery No. 4, Knights Templar, met at 10 o'clock Sunday morning at the Masonic temple and marched in a body to Trinity Episcopal church, where special services were celebrated.

A section of the church had been reserved for the lodge members and Rev. E. W. Averill delivered a special sermon for them. He took as his text the question of John the disciple, "Who is the greatest in the Kingdom of Heaven?"

The service was well attended, a large proportion of the members of the commandery being present. For years St. John's day has been observed by the Knights Templar with similar services.

Practically any outdoor game that a child plays in the streets of New York is a violation of the law.

SHIP A DAY USED IN RELIEF TO BELGIUM

Uncle Sam Sets New Record for Philathropy in December.

New York, Dec. 27.—Shipments of foodstuffs into Belgium during December are declared by the American commission for relief in Belgium to have established a record unparalleled in the history of philanthropy. Already thirteen steamers have left American ports and by the end of the month one shipload of supplies for every day in the month will have entered Belgium or will be on its way there.

In October of this year, according to a statement issued today by Alexander J. Hemphill, treasurer of the commission, the amount collected and spent in benevolent work by the organization was $4,328,175.

"The sources of this vast sum," Mr. Hemphill said, "were as follows: Profits from sale to those who can pay for food, $1,030,201; from Belgian institutions abroad, $2,816,974; general gifts, $456,000.

"We never have been able to give the Belgians and French more than a minimum ration of food and at any moment their borrowing capacity may be cut and this minimum ration further decreased. The need for winter clothing which has arisen can be met only by appealing to America.

Gokteik viaduct, in the Shan hills, Upper Burma, is the highest railway bridge in the world. It is 820 feet above the water.

FIRE ENDANGERS WAR MUNITIONS

New York, Dec. 27.—Three million rounds of cartridges, thousands of Springfield rifles and revolvers and other weapons were endangered by a fire in the storage room of a building in West Houston street, early today. The fire was quickly extinguished with small loss, before reaching the ammunition.

Police were investigating the circumstances and they learned the ammunition was bought in this country by German agents seven months ago with the intention of shipping to Germany. The plan, they said, failed because British vessels refused to engage in carrying munitions to the enemies of Great Britain. John S. Patrick, a contractor, and owner of the building, had a permit to store the ammunition and 500,000 revolvers there.

FRIEND OF LINCOLN DIES.

Col. Edward Jay Allen Was Member of Grant's Staff.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 27.—Col. Edward Jay Allen, aged 85, friend of President Lincoln, member of the staff of General Grant during the war and one of the first settlers of Seattle, Wash., died at his home here early today. He was also the author of a number of books.

E. W. Erwin, clerk in the Nickel Plate freight offices at Stony Island, returned there last evening after spending Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Erwin, of 1129 St. Mary's avenue.

TROOPS MARCHING ALSATIAN CHILDREN OUT OF WAR ZONE TO ATTEND SCHOOL IN FRANCE.

Society

A tea of beautiful appointment was given this afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock by Miss Gladys Johns, at her home in Jackson street, to honor Miss Olive Kirkby, of Toledo, Ohio, who is visiting her. The cheeriness of much holly and Christmas greens in general made the rooms unusually attractive and big and fluffy bows of red tulle set off the candlesticks filled with red candles and the center decoration of the dining room, which was composed of greens and scarlet immortelles. Miss Johns and Miss Kirkby received the one hundred young women invited and Miss Dorothy White, Miss Madge Magee, Miss Mary Evans, Miss Marian Bash, Miss Phyllis Randall, Miss Venette Sites and Miss Helen Caldwell visited with the callers and assisted in serving them refreshing things to eat and drink. Mrs. Richard Kirkby, of Toledo, who is here with her daughter, was an interested visitor during the tea.

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The Woman's league ball tonight is to be the most splendid event of the social calendar. Consideration for the young and those of middle age, and varied entertainment as well, have been looked after, so no one need feel that all he can do is to stand around and shake hands once in a while, eat and drink, and then go home—bored. For arrangements are such as to make everyone contented during the entire evening. The best of music has been engaged. Special dances will be given by Misses Virginia Olds, Muriel Larimore and Virginia Randall. Decorations and refreshments are on a class worthy of the occasion. In other words, everybody is going to have a "perfectly grand time" if he or she goes. And many are going, and going just because they want to, not because some organization in nearly destitute circumstances is waiting for the receipts. Some people have brand new clothes to wear. Those who can not have the new clothes are going to wear their old ones. If they don't dance they plan for a game of cards with congenial friends who are going. Mrs. Clark Fairbanks, president of the State Federation of Women's clubs, is to lead the grand march.

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Miss Helen Calhoun, of Tiffin, Ohio, was the honor guest at a charmingly informal tea given this afternoon at the home of Misses Thelma and Helen Reul, of West Jefferson street, with Miss Valette Lageman and Miss Jenetta Schich as assisting hostesses. Receiving with the hostesses and Miss Calhoun, was Miss Violet Fowler, of this city, whose residence here has not been of any considerable time, and this was a happy occasion for her to meet the young girls invited. The Reul residence was trimmed with holiday greens, much southern smilax, holly and many red bells all being used. In the dining room the table was quite gay with red candles and a basket of greens topped off with red ribbons. About one hundred and fifty young ladies called. Miss Margaret Ferguson, Miss Mildred Schultz, Miss June Harrod and Miss Mildred Archer assisted in serving refreshments.

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Miss Emma Rosenthal has returned from a visit in Chicago, with relatives.

Miss Gertrude Fresh, of Piqua, O., is coming this week to visit Miss Persis Bond, of Fairfield avenue.

Miss Eva R. Peck went to Deansboro, N. Y., to spend her holiday vacation.

Mrs. Catherine Heyman is entertaining her son, Walter, from Jackson, Mich. for a few days' visit.

Dr. and Mrs. Walter M. Leonard, of West Berry street, are entertaining Mrs. R. H. Leonard, of Bellevue, O.

Mrs. Irwin Strasburger, of 1004 West Wayne street, is entertaining Miss Lena Moses, of Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester I. Hall have as guests Mr. Hall's mother and sister, of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Nichols, of West Wayne street, have returned from a Christmas visit in Xenia, O.

Robert Learmonth, jr., who is located in Muncie, came home for a Christmas visit with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dart have returned to Detroit after a few days' visit with Mrs. Etta McKay and other relatives.

Mrs. Malcolm Green and daughter Ruth, of Auburn, are visiting Miss Gertrude Green and Seth Green.

Mrs. J. W. Kannel and daughter Catherine, of Bucyrus, O., are here on a visit with her parents, of 1226 Delta boulevard

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Baldwin, of Chicago, are holiday guests of Mrs. Frances Baldwin and family, of West Wayne street.

Mrs. Sarah Vesey, accompanied by Miss Emma Jenkinson, is going to Florida soon, to remain the rest of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Pixley are planning to go to Florida on an early date in February, to remain for the rest of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Fulton and son, Edwin, of Peru, were guests at a family dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Miller, on Sunday evening.

The engagement of Miss Clara Lange, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. August Lange, to Otto Jungkuntz, a member of the faculty of Concordia college, has been announced.

Mr. and Mrs. George T. Ladd have returned to Pittsburg, after spending Christmas with Mrs. Ladd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Barrett.

Glenn A. Smiley has returned from Kokomo and Tipton, where he spent Christmas with friends and relatives. He also visited at Indianapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ellison have returned to Detroit, Mich., after visiting over Christmas with Mr. Ellison's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Ellison.

Miss Louise Breuer, of Washington boulevard east, is a Milwaukee Downer college student who is at home for the holidays, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs William Breuer.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Perry and children, Miss Nellie and Maurice, of Alexandria, who came to spend Christmas with Frank Chalfant, of Columbia avenue, are extending their visit until next week.

Mrs. J. J. Donovan and Mrs. Thomas McGraw, of Champaign, Ill., are visiting their father, Timothy Foohey, 205 Douglas avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Mailbucker, of Indianapolis, are visiting with Mrs. Mailbucker's parents, and friends. Mrs. Mailbucker was formally Miss Marguerite Klever, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyttleton Tough came from Columbus, O., to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. F. I. Brown and other relatives and returned home on Monday.

Mrs. Victor E. Russell, of Toledo, O., is to make a holiday visit in the city with Mr. and Mrs. George Russell and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Seemeyer, of West Creighton avenue, and also with other relatives and friends.

Miss Mary Hammond, of Chicago, has come home for a few days' visit with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Hammond, of West Main street. Miss Hammond is taking a course in professional nursing.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Leeser of Chicago; Miss Millie Leeser, of Cleveland; Miss Hedwig Leeser, of St. Louis, and Theodore Grabill, of Detroit, Mich., formed a family gathering over Christmas of Mrs. Leeser, of Park View avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bond and daughter, Barbara, returned to Chicago, on Monday, after a few days' visit with Mr. Bond's relatives here. Miss Lois Bond accompanied the visitors to Chicago and will visit Miss Dorothy Fullerton.

Mrs. A. E. Carroll returned from San Francisco the day before Christmas and will be for the present with her children at Sacred Heart academy. Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Taft, who have been occupying Mrs. Carroll's house during her absence, will move out about the middle of January.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Gerhard, of East Lewis street, are entertaining Mrs. Elzerhood, of Detroit, Mich., and a number of friends planned a surprise on her in honor of her natal anniversary. Participating in the good time were Fred Koenig and family, William Kramer and family, Charles Koenig and family, Fred Buhr and family, Charles Reiter and family, Henry Koenig and family, Gust Gick and family, Miss Tillie Meinzen, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Kramer, George Schlichter and family.

Aloysius Miller, of 212 Spy Run avenue, gave a Christmas supper party on Saturday evening in honor of the family. Games and music were other pleasures of the evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Will Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Mart Lennart, Mr. Kenkey, Jack Miller, Nick Miller, Miss Ida Millere, Miss Mary Miller, Miss Frances and Miss Beatrice Johnson, Miss Mildred White, Miss Rena Bowmann, Miss Lena Kinkey, Mrs. Batcheler, Miss Anna Miller and Edward Crawford, of Chicago, and Jack Kinkenna, of Grand Rapids.

"WIDE AND SHORT FOR DANCING" IS DICTUM OF AMERICAN POIRET.

By Betty Brown

"The dancing frock of fashion is short and rath-er wide." It's Hickson, New York's famous man-dressmaker, the "Poiret of America,' and member of the Fashion Art league, who says so and here's an example of one of the "rath-er wide" gowns.

It's worn by Eleanore Painter, once a grand opera singer, now singing the title role in "Princess Pat." The gown is of white liberty satin with overdress of silver lace. Notice how short the waist is and how closely it fits—and this is one of Hicksons spring models.

Ulmer—Ryason.

A quiet wedding that took place at the parsonage of the Missionary Bible Training school at 10 a. m., Christmas morning, was that of Miss June Leone Ryason, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Ryason, of Fort Wayne, and Mr. Ferber L. E. Ulmer, bookkeeper and cashier of the F. G. Gauntt Manufacturing company, this city. Rev. B. F. Loightner performed the ceremony. Members of the two families were the only persons invited. The wedding was a very pleasant surprise to their many friends.

West—Heckman.

Miss Elizabeth Heckman and Mr. Fred G. West, both of this city, were married in Hillsdale, Mich., on Friday by Justice C. M. Weaver at the courthouse. Mr. West is a lineman.

Dancing Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, matinee and night. Trier's, Minuet. 27-4t

BIG DOINGS AMONG CLUB WOMEN.

Woman's League Program and Equal Franchise League Luncheon.

The domestic science department of the Woman's League is to have a most elaborate program on January 8. It is hoped the club women of the district, and the city women, will arrange to do their work so as to be able to avail themselves of this opportunity. It is not often we are able to have two well-known women at one time, owing to the fact that the Equal Franchise League will have a luncheon on the same date at the Anthony hotel, at which Miss Loutie E. Stearns, one of the directors of the General Federation, and a brilliant speaker, will give an address. Miss Stearns will also give a brief talk in the afternoon. Miss Adelaide Baylor, of Indianapolis, will give an address on vocational education for women. As Miss Baylor has charge of this work in this state, and is on the state board, she is especially qualified to talk on this subject. A musical program will be given by some of the city's most talented musicians. In addition, the department is to have an exhibit of sewing, embroidery, crocheting, weaving, china painting, basketry and woman's handiwork in the community. Miss Griiebel, of the Griebel Art shop, is in charge of this exhibit, and all who are interested should see her and make arrangements as soon as possible. All these are subjects of city-wide importance to the women of Fort Wayne, and a general invitation is extended them to be present. (Signed).

MRS. LEE NINDE,
Chairman.

MRS. CLAF N. GULDLIN,
Chairman Pro Tem.

Answer Questions of Child, Expert Advises Mother

Told by WINIFRED SACKVILLE STONER, Exponent of Natural Education

Some day a bright young lady will hang out a sign reading, "Answerer of Children's Questions." And she will make a fortune!

Until that day mothers must use the "Book of Knowledge," to be had at book stores, as the best available compilation of answers to the insatiable questioning of their children.

In all my schools we use this invaluable fund of knowledge, just as I used it in the education of my daughter Winifred. And there is but one query which I have been unable to answer through this book. It was asked by Winifred, and was, "Mother, how far can a cat spit?" Perhaps that is not very important, anyway, at least not to grown-ups.

Every intelligent mother should attempt to answer her child's questions. That is a tremendously important factor in natural education.

Nature gave the child the question as an instrument with which to dig for knowledge.

Kiddies do not ask questions unless they are interested, and when they are interested they will remember what is told them.

Someday I hope my Natural Education method of answering queries—of allowing expression, rather than fostering repression—may be used in every school in the land.

Then children may give us hints on what they want to learn, in place of being compelled to take what we want to teach them.

OFF SHE GLIDES FOR HER AFTER-SCHOOL FROLIC.

By Betty Brown

Um! Don't you wish you could join her in her after-school frolic: don't you wish you could lock up your desk, or put aside your yard stick, or lock your kitchen door and go skating away with the little girl from school?

And is there any real reason why you shouldn't have your frolic on the ice as well as the care-free little school girl? The rinks—indoor and outdoor rinks are open days and evenings, skates are an inexpensive luxury, much cheaper than nerve specialists. Take another look at the merry little girl on skates—her good cheer is infectious, but the only place you can "catch" it is on the skating rink.

Clothing for the poor of Fort Wayne will be received at 1029 Fairfield avenue, and distributed to worthy people through the Fort Wayne Mother's club and the various charitable organizations. 11-15-tf

DON'T SHOOT!—IT'S ONLY THE LATEST IDEA IN VEILS.

It's not a hold-up—at least smartly dressed women don't think that way about this latest freak of fashion—THE DOMINIE VEIL.

Worn with the new "topper's," the veil—with eyeholes let into it—gives the chic girl a REGULAR BOLD, BAD HIGHWAYMAN APPEARANCE. But it's been noticed along Fifth avenue, where the first of these veils have been seen, that plenty of men appear willing to be victims of the beautiful "bandits."

The veils come in several patterns but the most popular is one with a rather heavy and elaborate pattern that gives a rich effect.

New Year's Eve AT ANTHONY HOTEL

IT'S GOING to be "one wonderful night." It marks the close of the most successful year we have ever had.

We're going to celebrate with you, and take our word for it—it's going to be some celebration.

Delightful music and entertainment. Dancing and a special quartet from Chicago. Noise-makers of all kinds, balloons, horns—all the equipment that goes toward making the evening one filled with gayety and good cheer.

It's a night to forget all care and worry. And we're going to make Hotel ANTHONY the center of New Year's Eve festivities in Fort Wayne.

Make Your Reservation Not Later Than Dec. 29th

Dancing and Entertainment Tonight

BENEFICIAL UNION ELECTS.

The German Beneficial union, at its annual meeting elected the following officers for the coming year: John Wiegand, president; Frank Zakschefski, vice president; Jacob Koehl, treasurer; William Kintz, conductor; Carl Mueller, warden; Frank Friedmann, William Kintz, Christian Sutorius, trustees; Valentine Kaufmann, deputy trustee.

More than 100 girls, each of whom weighs more than 200 pounds, are registered at the state university of Kansas.

Out of 18,000 houses in Schenectady, N. Y., only 417 are not wired for electricity.

New classes form in all departments Monday, January 3rd. Office open every day this week. International Business College. 12-27-tf

CONGRESS ALSO SETS RECORD.

New Bills Double Number Introduced at Last Year's Opening.

Washington, Dec. 27.—Bill clerks of the house, who are still working on the records of the proceedings of the sessions up to the holiday recess, reported today that the number of bills introduced at the 64th congress more than doubles the number of such measures presented in a similar period at the opening of the 63rd congress. During the first twelve days of the last congress 3,320 bills were introduced. In the similar period during the present session there were 6,781 bills introduced, besides 153 resolutions.

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SEAGULLS VISIT PARIS.

Paris, Dec. 27.—Seagulls, which rarely visit Paris, are flying about the grand palace this morning. Their presence is attributed to the high water in the Seine, which has now risen ten feet, covering some wharves in the lowest part of the river front. There has been much rain the last fortnight.

MAJESTIC Theatre
3 DAYS, STARTING TODAY
Matinees 2 and 4 o'clock.
Chicago Tribune
"GERMAN SIDE OF THE WAR"
Prices 10c, 20c, 30c

Orpheum Theatre
TO-DAY
Opening Engagement
GOLDEN GATE TRIO
Harmony Singers Supreme.
NORMA TALMADGE
In
"CAPTIVATING MARY CARSTAIRS"
A Comedy Romance
—Also—
"GRAFT"
Third Episode.

JEFFERSON
GALA WEEK—MASTERPIECES DAILY
Today and Tomorrow
Triangle Masterpiece
Thomas Ince Presents
"ALOHA OE"
(Farewell to Thee).
One of the most pretentious productions that ever graced a screen. A magnificent picturization of the famous Hawaiian story. A beautiful love story leading one from the New York home of a rich lawyer to the beautiful settings of a tropical country. Greatest storm at sea ever registered in film. Thrilling volcano eruption. A wonderfully satisfying and remarkable film classic. Worth double admission.

Wednesday and Thursday
DENMAN THOMPSON'S
"OLD HOMESTEAD"
Paramount.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
BESSIE BARRISCALE
In
"THE GOLDEN CLAW"
Triangle.

A Red-Blooded Story
THE GIRL AND THE GAME
Featuring
Helen Holmes,
The Fearless Film Star
AT THE GRAND
(Every Week.)
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.
Each Installment published in THE SENTINEL the Saturday Previous.

EMPRESS
Cyrl Scott's Big Fun Play
"THE LOTTERY MAN,"
Laughs Galore.
First Time at Popular Prices

TEMPLE THEATRE
ALL THIS WEEK
Matinee Daily, 10 and 20 Cents
"NO MOTHER TO GUIDE HER"
Night, 10c, 20c, 30 Cents.

PALACE Theatre Phone 67
TWICE DAILY 2:30 and 8:15
Gala Holiday Program
Here at last. What every woman wants. Direct from New York and Chicago sensations—"As well be out of the world as out of Fashion."
Menlo Moore's $10,000
"Style Review"
The greatest novelty of the season. Ten living models—Luxury run mad. Riot of extravagance. Georgeous display of Gems, Gowns, Furs, Negligee, Lingerie, Hats, Feathers, Sport Clothes and Boots. Gowns loaned by the supreme creative artists of style in the world. There has never been anything like it.
Big Supporting Bill—Bobbe & Dale—Hershel Hendler—Lawrence & Hurl-Falls—Gladys Vance—Thursday, Six Kirksmith Sisters.
HAVE YOU ENGAGED YOUR SEAT FOR NEW YEAR'S EVE?
Special New Year's Day, Three Performances—2:30, 7:30, 9:00.
DAILY MATINEES, 10c; 25c RESERVED. NIGHTS AND HOLIDAY MATINEES, 10c, 25c, 35c. BOXES, 50c.

WOLF & DESSAUER

• NORTHERN INDIANA'S GREATEST DEPARTMENT STORE •

• Nos. 119-121-123-125-127 WEST BERRY ST. •

The Greatest Fur Event of the Season

20 Per Cent. Discount Sale — **Our Annual Fur Sale Which Started this Morning** — 20 Per Cent. Discount Sale

This is the event that women who know quality furs have been waiting for. This morning we placed on sale

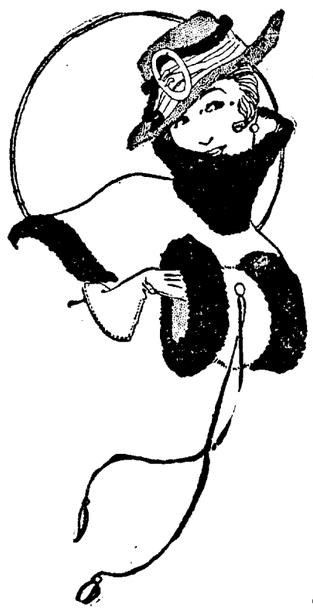
Our Entire Stock of Furs de Luxe at a Mark-Down of 20 Per Cent.

It offers you your unrestricted choice of all Coats, Scarfs, Muffs and Sets from the largest and finest collection of high-grade furs in Northern Indiana.

Fur Coats

Regular price $375, reduced to....$300
Regular price $275, reduced to....$220
Regular price $250, reduced to....$200
Regular price $225, reduced to....$180
Regular price $185, reduced to....$148
Regular price $175, reduced to....$140
Regular price $165, reduced to....$132
Regular price $160, reduced to....$128
Regular price $145, reduced to....$116
Regular price $125, reduced to....$100
Regular price $69.50, reduced to....$55

We still have many sets of children's furs on which there is also the discount of 20 per cent.



Scarfs, Muffs, Sets

Our stock of scarfs, muffs and matched sets consists of every desirable fur of the season.

Foxes in black, red, taupe, pointed, etc.

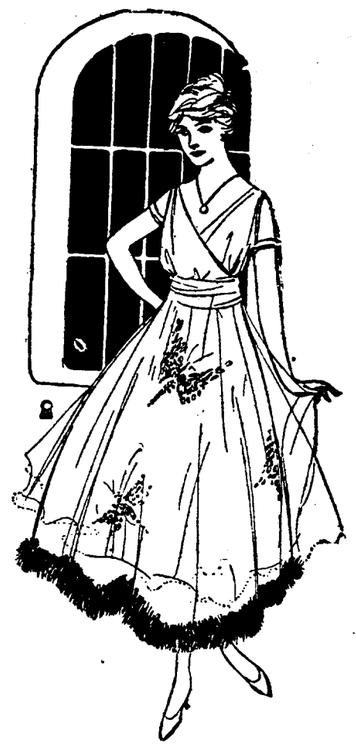
Natural Marten.
Beaver.
Natural Grey Opossum.
Brown Opossum.
Black Marten.
American Wolf.
Manchurian Wolf.
Civit Cat.
Coney.

All at 20 per cent. less

Early selection is suggested, in order that those who have been waiting for this great sale may not be disappointed.

Along with Holiday Invitations Comes This

Special Selling of Party Frocks



The sale started this morning and includes every party dress, afternoon gown and dancing frock in stock at

One-Third Less Than Regular

What an opportunity to buy a lovely dress for holiday festivities! Every model is but lately received, and made in the newest fashion—fluffy chiffons, soft satins—rustling taffetas, in exquisite colorings and designs. The new wired skirts are noted in nearly every model, and the softly draped bodices are charming.

Your Unrestricted Choice at a Third Less

All Remaining Holiday Novelties Reduced in Price

This morning started the clear-away of all remaining holiday goods, and soiled handkerchiefs and aprons. It gives a chance to provide New Year's gifts at trifling expense for these novelties are not to be carried over in stock.

All Toys and Games at a Third Off

Handkerchiefs and Fancy Aprons

—Soiled from handling, and used for display purpose—

25 Per Cent. Off.

All Christmas Novelties At 25 Per Cent. Off.

Novelty Furniture

—Smoking sets, cellarets, telephone stands, tabourets, etc—

At 25 Per Cent. Off.

KING PETER FINALLY AGREES TO QUIT ARMY

Brindisi, Italy, Dec. 27.—(Via Paris, 8 a. m.)—King Peter of Serbia, has arrived here on board an Italian cruiser.

The sovereign had refused resolutely until now to leave his army and it was only at the urgent entreaty of his son, the prince regent, that he at last agreed to go into exile. The prince pointed out to his father that it would be better for him to preserve his strength so that he would be able after his health had been restored to return to his country and the head of a re-organized army.

A Rome dispatch on Dec. 26 said King Peter had accepted Italy's offer of a place for his use at Caserta, near Naples, but it later was reported that the aged ruler had declared he was determined to die among his own people and not to abandon his army. The king has been seriously ill for months but frequently was on the firing line with the Serbian troops before they were overwhelmed by Austro-Germans and Bulgars.

SPECTACLE IS TRAGIC.

Exiled Monarch Says He Must Live to See Victory for His People.

Paris, Dec. 27.—King Peter of Serbia was brought from Durazzo to Avlona on an Italian cruiser, says the Journal's Avlona correspondent.

"The voyage was rough and the king had to be carried ashore in an arm chair. It was a tragic and heart-rending spectacle.

"An automobile carried the monarch to a secluded inn opposite Italian headquarters where I called upon him and was shown into the poorly furnished room he occupied. His clear eyes, what depths of bitterness did they conceal! His features hollowed by suffering, what immense weariness did they betray! That sorrowful countenance was the epitome of the whole tragic epoch.

"I am no longer king; I am only a general, I give no more orders. It is the crown prince who commands. For the future I am nothing in the government. A soldier, I have only to be."

"And the army, your majesty?" I asked. "My soldiers are dropping from hunger and weariness. We must feed them and then after a few weeks' rest we shall see!"

"What are your own plans Sir?"

"I want to go to Saloniki to see my minister of war. If this is possible I shall arrange something. I have got to live to see victory for my people and the triumph of our just cause.'

ONE FOR ALL, ALL FOR ONE, URGES LANSING

Secretary of State Sets Out Pan-Americanism in Address.

Washington, Dec. 27.—A Pan-Americanism of "One for all; all for one" was outlined by Secretary Lansing today at the opening of the Second Pan-American Scientific congress.

"Pan-Americanism," said the secretary, "is an expression of the idea of internationalism. America has become the guardian of that idea which will in the end rule the world. Since the European war began other factors have strengthened this natural bond and given impulse to the movement. Never before have our people so fully realized the significance of the words, Peace and Fraternity."

At another point in his address Secretary Lansing said: "If the soverignty of a sister republic is menaced from overseas, the power of the United States and, I hope and believe, the united power of the American republics will constitute a bulwark which will protect the independence and integrity of their neighbor from unjust invasion and aggression."

Mr. Lansing's Address

Mr. Lansing said in part:

"It is the Pan-American spirit and the policy of Pan-Americanism to which I would for a few moments direct your attention at this early meeting of the congress, since it is my earnest hope that 'Pan-America' will be the keynote which will influence your relations with one another and inspire your thoughts and words.

"Nearly a century has passed since President Monroe proclaimed to the world his famous doctrine as the national policy of the United States. It was founded on the principle that the safety of this republic would be imperilled by the extension of soverign rights by a European power over territory in this hemisphere. Conceived in a suspicion of monarchial institutions and in a full sympathy with the republican idea it was uttered at a time when our neighbors to the south had won their independence and were gradually adapting themselves to the exercise of their newly acquired rights. To those struggling nations the doctrine became a shield against the great European powers, which in the spirit of the age coveted political control over the rich regions which the new-born States had made their own.

"Within recent years the government of the United States has found no occasion, with the exception of the Venezuela boundary incident, to remind Europe that the Monroe Doctrine continues unaltered a national policy of this republic. The republics of America are no longer children in the great family of nations. They have attained maturity. With enterprise and patriotic fervor they are working out their several destinies.

A New Resolution

"During this later time, when the American nations have come into a realization of their nationality and are fully conscious of the responsibilities and privileges which are theirs as soverign and independent states, there has grown up a feeling that the republics of this hemisphere constitute a group separate and apart from the other nations of the world, a group which is united by common ideals and common aspirations. I believe that this feeling is general throughout North and South America, and that year by year it has increased until it has become a potent influence over our political and commercial intercourse. It is the same feeling which, founded on sympathy and mutual interest, exists among the members of a family. It is the tie which draws together the twenty-one republics and makes of them the American Family of Nations.

"This feeling, vague at first, has become today a definite and certain force. We term it the 'Pan-American spirit,' from which springs the international policy of Pan-Americanism. It is that policy which is responsible for this great gathering of distinguished men, who represent the best and most advanced thought of the Americas. It is a policy which this government has unhesitatingly adopted and which it will do all in its power to foster and promote.

Much Like Family

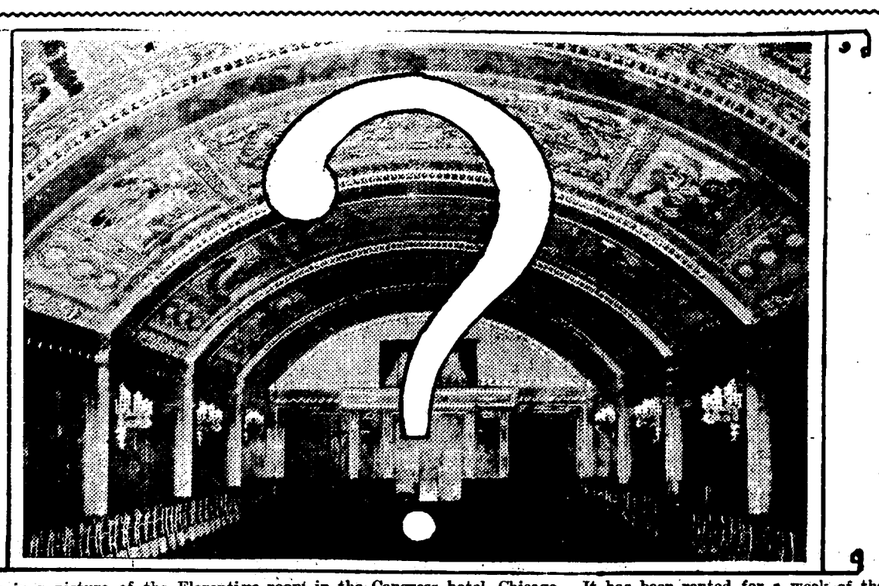
"When we attempt to analyze Pan-Americanism we find that the essential qualities are those of the family—sympathy, helpfulness and a sincere desire to see another grow in prosperity, absence of covetousness of another's possessions, absence of that spirit of intrigue which menaces the domestic peace of a neighbor. Such are the qualities of the family tie among individuals, and such should be, and I believe are, the qualities which compose the tie which unites the American Family of Nations.

"I speak only for the government of the United States, but in doing so I am convinced I express sentiments which will find an echo in every republic represented here, when I say that the might of this country will never be exercised in a spirit of greed to wrest from a neighboring state its territory or possessions. The ambitions of this republic do not lie in the path of conquest but in the paths of peace and justice. Whenever and wherever we can we will stretch forth a hand to those who need help. If the soverignty of a sister republic is menaced from over seas, the power of the United States and, I hope and believe, the united power of the American republics, will constitute a bulwark which will protect the independence and integrity of their neighbor from unjust invasion or aggression. The American Family of Nations might well take for its motto that of Dumas' famous musketeers, 'One for all; all for one.'"

BLACK BUFFALOES INSTEAD OF AUTOMOBILES PULL FRENCH SUPPLIES IN BALKANS.

When the French and their allies started to march from Saloniki into Serbia and Bulgaria they found none of the transportation facilities that aided both opposing armies on the western front. There were no great auto tractors to pull heavy supply wagons. So they loaded supplies into carts and bought or hired black buffaloes and oxen to haul them.

WHO, OH, WHO, RENTED THE FLORENTINE ROOM?



This is a picture of the Florentine room in the Congress hotel, Chicago. It has been rented for a week of the republican national convention next June by a mysterious person representing another mysterious person. Those political wiseacres who think they know say it's Roosevelt, and declare he plans on being a prominent figure, if not more than that, at the G. O. P. convention. In the meantime the curiosity of every politician is aroused. It was in the Florentine room that the progressive party was born at the convention in 1912. What part this famous room will play in the politics of 1916 is the puzzle of all political pundits.

ANOTHER YEAR OF EXPOSITION

Money and Exhibits Pledged to Make Success of San Diego Show.

San Diego, Cal., Dec. 27.—The Panama California exposition here will be continued during 1916, with a number of new features. Ample money has been subscribed to insure success.

San Diego plans some marked improvements for 1916. Many important foreign exhibits will be moved from San Francisco, including the Canadian, French, Italian, Dutch, Russian, Spanish, Swiss, German and Austrian exhibits. It is probable India, Persia and Turkey exhibits will be added. Exhibits of the California counties have been obtained and a number of zone attractions will be added.

A large attendance is expected from the east, particularly during the summer season, when the perfect climate of San Diego is at its best.

SENTINEL WANT ADS GET RESULTS

QUIET AFTER 5-HOUR SIEGE OF JAIL BY MOB

Muskogee, Okla., Dec. 27.—With the safe removal from the county jail here of the two negroes arrested in connection with the murder of a policeman, Muskogee returned to normal conditions today and there was nothing on the surface to show that the jail had been besieged for five hours last night by a mob of white men that threatened to lynch the negroes.

Two hundred negroes said they would open fire on the whites the moment they attempted violence.

Two assaults by the white men were repulsed by the militia. While a third assault was being agitated the two negroes were dressed in militia uniforms covered by military overcoats with high collars and were rushed from the jail in a taxicab before the watchers outside knew it was being done. With the negroes safely removed the leaders of the mob were allowed to search the jail and then all dispersed.

This eased the racial tension which at one time threatened a pitched battle, the white men declaring they would charge the negroes unless they disarmed and went home.

In preparation for trouble a local hardware dealer opened his store and supplied arms and ammunition to citizens who wished means of protesting themselves. The two negroes, Wm. Gross and Mathis Foreman, are believed to have been taken to the state penitentiary at McAlester for safekeeping. They are charged with the murder of Patrolman Tom Craig, who was shot down when he attempted to arrest them on suspicion of burglary.

DEMOCRATIC LOVE FEAST JANUARY 19.

January 10 has been set for the big democratic lovefeast that will be held in this city, and Congressman John A. M. Adair will be here to deliver an address at the meeting. It is also hoped to get Senator Kern for the same date. Auditor Dale J. Crittenberger and Treasurer George A. Bittler have notified the committee that they expect to attend.

Indigestion and Constipation.

"When living in Syracuse, N. Y., about two years ago I took two bottles of Chamberlain's Tablets and they cured me of indigestion and constipation after I had suffered for months with these disorders," writes Mrs. Charles Gloyd, Baldwinsville, N. Y. Obtainable everywhere.—Advertisement.

John Pinter, age thirty-seven, a prosperous farmer, living twenty-four miles from Chippewa Falls, Wis., has been ridden on a street car or a railroad train until he left home for Lacrosse, Wis., in 1911.

Keeping In Touch With All The Live Sports of The World

THE FORT WAYNE EVENING SENTINEL'S SPORT PAGE

RACCOON IS A MIGHTY GOOD SPORT

Ackerman Presents Sentinel Readers With Another Hunting Article.

By Morris Ackerman, of the Fish and Game Protective Association.

One of the most interesting outdoor sports for the hunter is trapping the raccoon, also called the ringtail and plain coon. The animal is an all-around sportsman himself. He fishes, hunts and traps.

The coon's fur is prime, in northern states, as early as November and in the south and west from mid-winter to spring.

To be successful in trapping the coon it is well to know his habits. He is nocturnal and in the wild state is seldom seen in day-time. When the winter is severe, he hibernates like the bear, coming out for food only on mild nights.

He catches fish and frogs, hunts birds and sometimes poultry, prys into all sorts of corners and crevices and traps spiders, worms and other insects. He is fond of fruit and his love for green corn makes him hated by the farmer. A few hungry coons will raise Ned in a field of young corn, tearing down stalks to get the sweet juice from tender ears.

Usually the home of the animal is in the hollow of a tree, some distance from the ground.

One way to trap the coon is to find where he has been traveling along the edge of water. Make a little pen of sticks, either dry or under water. Set trap and bait at the end of the pen.

Another way is to dig a good-sized hole in the bank near the water, put the bait in the end of the hole and set the trap at the mouth. Place a trap in the middle of logs crossing streams, cover it with rotted wood or leaves and staple it to the log.

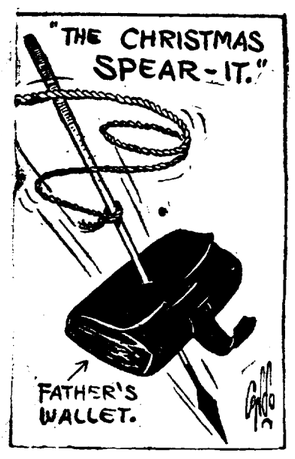
Use traps from No. 1, 1½ to 3.

ACTIVE TURNERS MEET HUNTINGTON

The Active Turners, who have been putting up a mighty classy type of basketball this year, will run into the Huntington five on Tuesday evening. This is the Huntington crew's first appearance here this year, but the visitors are rated among the best in the state. The Turners are working hard for the go and will be in condition to put up a pretty good argument. The preliminary starts at eight, and big go an hour later, and the matches will be played off at the Turner gym, on West Superior street.

Dr. John J. Ogle, of Barr street, leaves soon for Florida, where he will spend the remainder of the winter and practice medicine with his brother, Dr. I. W. Ogle.

OUR DAILY CARTOONET.



RUFE GILBERT MAKES A BOW

And Then Says a Little Piece About Salaries in Baseball.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Dec. 27.—Baseball salaries are going to take a drop next season, from which they will not recover for at least four or five years, and possibly longer, according to Rufus Gilbert, manager of the Terre Haute club, of the Central league

Gilbert has been in Michigan for the past two weeks, most of which he has spent at Muskegon, trying to organize an association to sponsor the Sawdust Burg's bid for representation in the Dickerson circuit.

"Get rid of your high priced players." This is the word, Gilbert declares, that is being passed along to the managers of minor league teams these days. That Gilbert has had this little tip whispered into his ear already, and further that he hasn't wasted any time about complying, is evidenced from the string of classy performers that has been disposed of.

Five of Rufe's players of last season will be absent from the Terre Haute lineup, when the team takes the field for play in 1916. Arthur Nehf, the southpaw demon went to the Boston Braves. Jack Vann was grabbed by Salt Lake City, while the Southern league got the rest of Gilbert's high salaried help.

Central league magnates, at their meeting in Evansville, recently, fixed a salary limit of $2,000, with $175 as the maximum wage that can be paid for any one player.

Grand Rapids fans already are beginning to bid good-bye to stars like McGraw. Edington and McArthur, for, if the general policy of retrenchment in baseball, which is fastening itself on every league in the country, is followed out by the Grand Rapids club management, it is hardly possible that these players can be kept here.

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE

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CITY.

Louis Fox to Ralph L. Magee, lots 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, and vacated alley, Fox add., for $5,000.

COUNTRY.

Ella Hyndman, et. al., to Amos Bear, N. 16. 36 ch. of W. 28, 94½ chs. of E. 35. 98 ch. S. E. sec. 20. Eel River twp., for $1.00.

¼ C. F. Koellinger, et. al., to P. F. Kuhne W. 32 64-100 acres, S. W. ¼ ex. R. R. sec. 7. Jefferson twp., for $1.00.

P. F. Kuhne, to C. F. Koehlinger, W. 32 64-100 acres S. W. ¼ ex. R. R. sec. 7, Jefferson twp., for $1.00.

John Coull to Clara J. Coull, W. 60 a. S. W. ¼ sec. 30, Lafayette twp., for $1.00.

John Coull to Clark J. Coull, W. 60 a. S. W. ¼ sec. 30, Lafayette twp., for $1.00.

H. A. Hollopeter, etux, to Daniel Steiner, W. 25 ft. of lots 41, 42, 44, Huntertown, for $15.00.

Chas. E. E. Shafer to Wm. D. and Cath. B. Pancake, ft. S. E. ¼ sec. 18, Monroeville twp., for $1.200.

Conrad Simon, etux, to William and Eliza Hockemeyer, lot 40, Smith's add., for $1.950.

SEEK TO DEFINE "AMATEUR"

Delegates from Fifteen Organizations in Effort to Agree.

New York, Dec. 27.—Officers and delegates from 15 organizations governing amateur sports are here today to attend a conference called by the inter-collegiate association of amateur athletes of America, to consider the definition of an amateur. A meeting will be held late this afternoon. One of the many questions to be presented is that regarding the amateur standing of an athlete in one sport who has become a professional in another sport as in the case of Birckley, the Trinity college football player.

Try Sentinel Want Ads.

QUITS JOB ON MILK WAGON TO RETURN TO FIGHT GAME.

By Brown Holmes

Chicago is about to lose a corking good milk man. Spike Kelly is going to return to the ring.

Two years ago Spike was one of the very best scrappers in the business. He held his own with Mike Gibbons and all the other top-notchers. He was in the championship contender class.

Good welter-weights were scarce then and Spike was so good few fighters of his weight wanted to meet him. He took a job driving a milk wagon so he could be sure of three square meals a day.

Now there is a boom on in the welterweight class. Most of the fighters who call themselves lightweights are really welters and they are getting most of the money. Kelly is going after some of it.

"I think this milk wagon job has put me in better shape than I ever was before," says Spike.

"The brisk morning air has done my wind a lot of good and any man who runs up and down as many stairs as I have delivering milk to apartment houses is bound to be good in the legs. I'll be faster on my feet than I used to be."

Kelley has marked his re-entrance into the ring by accepting a challenge issued by Willie Schaefer to all welter-weights. He is also looking for bouts with Ted Lewis, Willie Ritchie, Mike O'Down and Kid Graves.

KINGS OF ROUGH STUFF COMING AGAIN

Zanesvillians Soon to Face the St. Paul's Speedsters.

The Zanesville basketballers will put up another exhibition here on New Year's night, when they run up against the St. Paul's Lutherans at St. Paul's gym. The Zanesville crew was there as usual with the strong arm stuff in the last game it put up here, and the Lutherans are rather inclined to await it with clubs and brick bats.

Zanesville isn't doing basket ball any good in these parts, for it is putting up a brand of the game that isn't very attractive to the peaceful observer. They are a crowd of physically big fellows, and they use their weight to a decided advantage. It is up to some local team to give them a really good square beating, and St. Paul's are strong for the honor.

As a Christmas remembrance, Theo J. Israel, the clothing merchant, presented each of his employes a sum equal to one week's wages.

The new entertainment committee of the Benevolent Order of Buffaloes is composed of John T. Bauley, Maurice Elder, Nelson Clippinger, Charles G. Breman and Sam Lewis.

SO BIG HE CAN'T GET GLOVES TO FIT

Art Slavin, a Columbus, O., heavyweight, is so big promoters have trouble finding gloves big enough to go on his hands. Several sets of five and eight-ounce gloves he tried were too small and a pair of ten ounce gloves had to be secured. Slavin wears No. 14 shoes and has them made to order.

TO GIVE A WATCH PARTY.

The entertainment committee of the Saxonia Singing society is arranging for a watch party to be given New Year's eve at the hall. Members, their families and friends are invited to attend.

A shipbuilding yard in Japan still in operation was established 1,000 years ago.

LYCEUMS MEET FINDLEY FIVE

The Findley Nationals, basketballers extraordinary, and long rivals of local teams, will journey here next Wednesday night for a fling at the St. Patrick's lyceums. The Findley crew is one of the most rapid in the middle west, and the going will sure be good. The St. Patrick's boys probably will line up with their old string of stars, although there is a probability that Vonderhaar may go into center for a time, with Loos to fill in the remainder of the game in that position.

A camera has been designed for reading electric, gas and water meters and recording the readings.

Outbursts of Everett True.

BY CONDO.

EVERETT, LET ME TAKE A FIVE TILL NEXT WEEK—
OH, YES, I'LL LET YOU TAKE A FIVE! OH, YES! REMEMBER HOW YOU PAID BACK THE LAST FIVE I LOANED YOU? NEITHER DO I!!!

72 TEAMS ENTERED IN CHAMPIONSHIP MEET

Expert Marksmen Preparing for Big Competition in Coming Year.

Washington, Dec. 27.—Plans for national defense and preparedness have given great impetus to the improvement of marksmanship among civilians and resulted in a much extended list of competitors this season for the Inter-Club Gallery championship of the United States, held annually under the auspices of the National Rifle association of America, which is fostered by the war department. This season 72 clubs have entered teams of ten men each. The five highest scores made by the team will be totalled as the club's weekly match score. The clubs have been divided in six classes, with 11 matches each, extending from December 25 to March 4. Each man will shoot 20 times at 75 feet, using .22 caliber rifles and ammunition, in prone position. The club making the highest score of the season will receive the championship trophy and medals will be presented to the winning team in each class.

Clubs composing Class A are: The Park club, Bridgeport, Conn.; Peters Rifle and Revolver club, Kings Mills, O.; Warren, Pa., Rifle club; Bucyrus, Ohio, Rifle association; District of Columbia Rifle association; Bangor, Me., Rifle association; Marion, O., Rifle club; Manchester, N. H., Rifle and Pistol club; First Missouri Infantry Rifle club, St. Louis; Buffalo, N. Y., Rifle club; Birmingham, Ala., Athletic club, and New Haven, Conn., Grays' Rifle club.

Class B clubs: Watertown, S. D., Rifle club; Gisholt Rifle club, Madison, Wis.; Youngstown, O., Rifle and Revolver club; Ogden, Utah, Rifle and Revolver club; Hopkins, Minn., Rifle club; Milwaukee, Wis., Rifle and Pistol club; Salt Lake City, Utah, Rifle and Revolver club; Detroit, Mich., Rifle and Revolver club; Kane, Pa., Rifle club; Adrian, Mich., Rifle club; Boston, Mass., Rifle and Revolver club, and Tacoma, Wash., Rifle club.

Class C clubs: Tucson, Ariz., Rifle club; Albion, Ind., Rifle club; Hoosier Rifle club, Indianapolis, Ind.; Swiss Rifle club, Louisville, Ky.; Louisville, Ky., Rifle and Revolver club; Corinna, Me., Rifle club; St. Paul, Minn., Rifle and Pistol club; Cypress Hills Rifle and Revolver association, New York city; Citizens' Rifle and Revolver club, Rochester, N. Y.; Stanton, Neb., Government Rifle club; Ashland, O., Rifle and Revolver club, and Olympic Rifle and Pistol club, San Francisco.

Class D clubs: McKeesport, Pa., Rifle club; Quinnipiac Rifle and Revolver club, New Haven, Conn.; Ashburn, Mass., Rifle club, Lynn, Mass., Rifle and Revolver club; Portsmouth-Norfolk, Va., Rifle club; Lestershire, N. Y., Rifle club; Auburn, N. Y., Rifle club; Middletown, N. Y., Rifle club, Rifle and Revolver club of New York., Inc.; Rochester, N. Y., Rifle club; Fifth Regiment Rifle club, Baltimore, Md., and Ithaca, N. Y., Rifle club.

Class E clubs: Guthrie Center, Ia., Rifle club; Topeka, Kans., Rifle club; Chicago, Ill., Rifle club; Manhattan, Kans., Rifle club; Toledo, O., Yacht club Rifle and Pistol association; Glendale Rifle club, Bedford, O.; Tulsa, Okla., Rifle club; Shawnee Rifle and Revolver club, Lima, O.; Meeker, Colo., Rifle club; Fort Harrison Rifle club, Terre Haute, Ind.; Helena, Mont., Rifle club, and Pierre, S. D., Rifle and Revolver club.

Class F clubs: Taunton, Mass., Indoor Rifle club; Rensselaerwyck Rifle club, Albany, N. Y.; Erie, Pa., Rifle club; Washington, D. C., Rifle association; Detroit, Mich., Y. M. C. A. Rifle and Pistol club; Quincy, Ill., Rifle club; Covington, Ky., Rifle and Pistol club; Kiowa Shooting club, Des Moines, Ia.; Port Clinton, Ohio, Rifle club; St. Augustine, Fla., Rifle club; Hydraulic Pressed Steel Co., Rifle club, Cleveland, O., and Portland, Ore., Rifle club.

The secretaries of the clubs will report each week to the National Rifle association headquarters in Washington, where the scores will be announced. Judges appointed by the association will witness each match.

Says He Was Booted Out of Baseball.

Edward Gwinner

Edward Gwinner, who backed the Pittsburn club in the Federal league, is quoted as saying he was kicked out of baseball. No arrangement was made for him to be taken care of when the baseball peace pact eliminated the Federal organization. Gwinner says the Federal league venture cost him $100,000. He wanted to buy into organized baseball, but was not permitted to do so.

AT EMMAUS ALLEYS.

ZIONS.

Players—	1st.	2d.	3d.
Buuck	155	145	126
Speckman	147	154	163
F. Trautman	167	106	147
Meyers	148	156	135
A. Trautman	179	202	150
Totals	796	763	724

THREE THIRTY-THREE CLUB

Players—	1st.	2d.	3d.
Korte	200	198	138
Snyder	123	109	146
Harding	131	176	155
Dicke	193	159	162
Jaeger	170	126	144
Totals	817	768	745

WOMAN FIGHTS WITH THIEF

Mrs. William Holly Confronted With Revolver on Return Home.

Richmond, Ind., Dec. 27.—When Mrs. William Holly, wife of a Richmond artist, returned home after a shopping trip she was confronted by a robber with a revolver, who commanded her not to scream.

Mrs. Holly did not scream, but she attacked the intruder and attempted to wrest the weapon from his hand. The robber succeeded, however, in throwing her to the floor and escaped from the house. Then Mrs. Holly screamed for help.

Two gunnysacks were found on a couch. One of them was partly filled with various articles of wearing apparel.

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Miss Readymade, Here's What You Will Wear Next Spring; It Costs $5 More, Too

Jackets Will Be Short, and —Horrors! — Skirts Even Shorter—That's Edict of Garment Makers' convention Where Delegates Decide What Your Wife and Mine Shall Wear Long Before We Earn the Money to Pay for It.

By Dean Halliday.

Cleveland, Dec. 27.—Miss Readymade, your $25 spring suit is going to cost $5 more this year!

And here's what you'll look like for $30:

Your jacket and skirt will be short—so short you'll have trouble telling one from the other.

And your 7-inch skirt is going to flare at the bottom—so full in fact that you'd better be careful on breezy days.

Your sleeves, by the way, will bell out at the wrist—the designers had to do something with the material saved on jacket and skirt.

And the colors—

"Oi, yoi," exclaimed the delegates at the convention of the National Cloak, Suit and Skirt Manufacturers' association, meeting in Cleveland. Hardened style veterans they were, yet it was a shock even to them.

Reseda green will predominate. It can't be helped. It would subdue a parrot.

High rose tints, delft blues, tangoe tans and black and white zebra stripes will be some of the "staples."

They are all colors that nobody had the nerve to wear in former years. But they're all the imported dyes that are left in the country—so garment makers have to use them now.

American dye merchants are making the other kind, and they're all right—unless you get caught in the rain.

Perhaps you think your wife picks out her own clothes. Well she doesn't. It's done for her months before by several hundred of the cloak and suit manufacturers "style sleuths." They decide just what she shall wear and what she shall not, and this year they are all "made in America" styles.

And that's why Miss Readymade's suit will cost $30 this year instead of $25. It's costing so much more to make up American dyes for American-made goods that the manufacturers have got to boost prices.

At the annual convention the manufacturers' delegates pass judgment on several hundred suggestions for spring suits. It's purely for "Men Only."

Hundreds of relatives of Potash and Perlmutter sit down in long rows of chairs. The orchestra strikes up a likely tune and a troup of living, breathing models come mincing out wearing the suits your wife and mine will be wanting soon.

Hardly a word is spoken as they parade past the rows of men—just one "perfect 36" after another.

But in that silence, amid blue clouds of cigar smoke spring styles for the "ready-made" are made. If a gown is a seller every one leans forward eargerly as the model, proudly conscious, trips merrily up and down the aisles.

If it's a "sticker," nobody pays any attention, cigars are puffed up, and the model, ashamed of the suit herself, slinks back to the dressing room as quickly as she can.

A "pretty suit" to the trade means one that will sell at least in 1,000 lots. When such a one apepars, everybody seems to arrive at the same conclusion at the same time. Pudgy hands reach forward to feel the texture of the goods as the model passes. In eager undertones comments are made on this pleat and that, that button there and that piece of braid there.

"Oi, what a seller. Vill they eat it up, yes?—and 200 delegates lean back and beam.

No one is allowed to make sketches or drawings of the costumes. That is, nobody but a few newspaper artists who aren't supposed to worry much about style.

This year after 200 different suits had been shown, and the "perfect 36s," without whom the cloak and suit trade would turn up its toes and die, had begun to get tired, the style committee of seven retired to some mysterious inner chamber.

There for 15 minutes, they pondered the problem or perhaps they only told funny stories—and then out came the report that tells our wives what they are going to wear this spring.

From the conglomeration of model garments just on exhibition the delegates had picked the various styles and points that their masters, the manufacturers to the trade, will turn out for Miss and Mrs. Readymade to wear this spring.

Summing It Up.

The following is the boldly sketched outlines of the spring styles for "Ready-mades" just decided upon by the convention of the National Cloak, Suit and Skirt Manufacturers' association:

Suits

Tailored coat suits will be short with waist line tendencies and fullness or ripple effect below the waist and with turn-over collars and set-in sleeves.

Another and shorter type of suite (the Cote) will employ a loose jacket often embellished with embroidery, and employing sleeves with bell or wide effect at the wrist.

Skirts

Whatever the style of the jacket, skirts will be full and short. Bands, folds or tucks will emphasize the full effect.

Separate Coats

Belted effects and deep yokes will give the new models of sport coats a very young appearance.

The cape collar on coats will be fashionable.

A longer type of coat is the Redingote which employs waist line tendencies and is extremely full below the hips.

Materials

The materials for spring are gabardines, serges, whip cords, poplins, bedfords cords, checks, stripes, goltines, duvetyns and novelty materials. Silks, such as taffeta, faille, gros de londres, and silk poplins will be popular.

Colors

Navy, Hague, blue, gray, tan, white, reseda, and black are the season's staple colors. High colors will be favored for trimming.

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A splendid lot of waists in Georgette crepes and lace combinations. Silk nets with gold lace and velvet, plaids and stripes in silk taffeta; $5 and $6 values, for $3.95

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THE FINAL WIND-UP IN SUITS

Offerings that will give a lot of women a chance to add a new suit to their wardrobe for wearing now and far into the Spring as the suits we show are most recent styles.

All fur-trimmed suits that were $25.00 to $45.00, now half price.

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Beautiful new creations in gowns for dancing and evening wear in pretty shades, handsomely made and daintily trimmed; a good assortment of them priced at one-fourth less than former prices.

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INEZ MILHOLLAND BOISSEVAIN QUITS

Noted Suffragist Leaves the Ford Peace Party and Explains Why.

Stockholm, Dec. 27.—Mrs. Inez Milholland Boissevain, of New York, withdrew from the Ford peace expedition last night after a disagreement over the mode of procedure, and today presented at a public meeting of the delegates a long statement of her reasons for doing so, and for believing the project was doomed to failure.

"The undemocratic method employed by the managers of the expedition is repugnant to my principles," she said. "Instead of all the members formulating plans the work has been confined to a few specially selected persons. When the party embarked on the Oscar II, I took it for granted that the rather vague opinion of the body of delegates would be hammered into effective shape by group action and constructive thinking throughout the voyage.

"An organization was not formed until three days before the end of the voyage. To that fact I trace all misunderstandings, dissensions, mistakes in policy, inefficiency and inability to get the idea of a mediating peace congress in comprehensive shape before the public.

"The organization when finally formed, was abortive. The Scandinavian public which expected clear thinking and a definite program were skeptical about the serious mindedness of the delegates. At the meetings the discussions have been purely private with the result of ill feeling, suspicious and condemnation. For the reasons stated, I am unable to continue with the party.

Gaston Plantiff, the personal representative of Mr. Ford, requested Mrs. Boissevain to remain with the expedition, but without avail.

Since the departure of the expedition from New York three weeks ago no meetings have been held at which peace plans were discussed. Most of the discussions have taken place about the dinner tables at the hotels. Between meals the delegates went sight seeing. Mr. Ford's leaving the party on account of sickness last week is regarded as a serious handicap.

Rev. Charles F. Aked, of San Francisco; Judge Ben Lindsey, of Denver, and others have explained that it was imperative that the expedition should proceed to The Hague to carry out the original plan as far as possible. This will result in the formation of a permanent committee to sit at The Hague to adopt ways and means. The committee is to consist of a small number of persons from each of the neutral countries.

BEAUTIFUL FRENCH WOMEN

Whatever one's nationality, one can admire the beauty and comeliness of the women of France. One of their chief charms is their delicate white skins. French women have known about corylok and have used it for years. It is a harmless vanishing face enamel and is now prepared and sold in most American drug stores. It whitens and smoothes the skin. Get the prepared corylok in original ounce packages, in which the formula for home application is also enclosed. French women also use a natural method to darken and gloss their faded, streaked or gray hair, namely: Sulsage (medicinal mixture of sulphur and sage.)—Advertisement.

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GERMAN RELIEF UNION ELECTS.

John Wiegand Is Elected President of Organization.

The fifth anniversary of the German Beneficial Union will be celebrated January 15, when the following newly-elected officers will be installed: John Wiegand, president; Frank Zakschefski, vice-president; Jacob Koehl, treasurer; William Kintz, conductor; Carl Mueller, warden; Frank Friedmann, William Kintz, Christian Sutorius, trustees; Valentine Kaufmann, deputy trustee.

How to Prevent Croup.

Every effort should be made to prevent the attacks by giving the child a light supper and plenty of fresh air at all times. The child should be warmly clad when out of doors. Especially the feet should be well protected and under no circumstances should the child be allowed to remain with wet or cold feet. Then watch for the first symptom, hoarseness, and give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy at once and the attack may be warded off. This remedy is a favorite with the mothers of croupy children and can always be depended upon. It is pleasant and safe to take. Obtainable everywhere. — Advertisement.

SHEET METAL WORKERS ELECT.

Local union No. 156, Sheet Metal Workers, has re-elected E. J. Motherwell as president, Charles C. Seib, secretary, and Charles B. Rundell, financial secretary. Other officers chosen were: John F. Rissing, treasurer; George Huebner, conductor; Charles Mooney, warden; D. W. Long, William Heine and J. G. Minder, trustees.

HOW THE HOSIERY INDUSTRY GROWS

Big Advance in America Since War, Says Commerce Bureau.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 27.—In a study of the hosiery industry of the United States, just completed by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, department of commerce, it is pointed out that since the war started there has been a great increase in the duction of hosiery in this country, and that even before the war began there had been a steady increase of about 15 per cent. annually for a number of years. One of the most noticeable results of the increased home production before the war started was the rapid decrease in imports. From 1909 to 1915 imports of cotton hosiery fell off frm $6,400,000 to $3,000,000, or over 50 per cent.

This report by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce is entitled "The Hosiery Industry" and is the second of a series of studies of the clothing industry, the first of which dealt with muslin underwear. The reports are prepared by the cost of production division of the bureau and are intended primarily for the assistance of congress when tariff legislation is being considered, the work of the bureau in this respect corresponding to that of a tariff board. The original intention in preparing the report on hosiery was to make a corresponding study of conditions in Europe, but the war rendered such an undertaking out of the question.

The report as it stands, however, serves the very useful purpose of demonstrating that the hosiery industry in this country is in a pretty sound and healthy condition. One of the most important reasons assigned for this satisfactory state of affairs is the excellence of American seamless hosiery. This style of footwear is distinctively American. The knitting machines used in its manufacture have been brought to their present state of efficiency by American inventors, and their use is confined largely to this country. No less than 90 per cent. of the hosiery manufactured here is seamless. Low cost of manufacture is the main reason for its position in the market.

The more expensive hosiery is full-fashioned. That is, it is made of shaped or fashioned pieces which are closed by seaming and looping. It has a seam "up the back." While higher priced, it is more likely to fit perfectly. There was a time when all such hosiery came from abroad, and today practically all imported hose is full-fashioned. It is the product upon which European knitters concentrated while Americans were perfecting the seamless article. Of late years, however, the American mills have pushed forward even in this line. Between 1909 and 1914 the imports of hosiery fell off heavily, partly on account of the growing popularity of the cheaper seamless product, but partly on account of the fact that the American full-fashioned stocking was brought quite up to the level of its foreign rival. The cheaper full-fashioned cotton hosiery forms the bulk of the imports at present. The only silk hosiery purchased from abroad now is the very high-class expensive stocking demanded for special occasions.

The study just completed by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, was made to include 73 establishments, located in 16 states. Of these mills, 55 earned manufacturing profits, and 18 had losses. The average manufacturing profit on net sales for 6.66 per cent., and the average manufacturing profit on capital employed in business was 11.56 per cent.

For the Family Medicine Chest

Green Bay, Wis., Mrs. Wm. F. Bubolz says: "I always use Foley's Honey and Tar for our children as it quickly breaks up their colds with no bad after effects, and they like to take it."

In this season of coughs, colds and croup, every family medicine chest should be supplied with a good cough medicine that can be relied upon when needed.

Such a family cough syrup is Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. This standard medicine has been on the market for years and in many sections was found in every home in the days when doctors were not so handy and when money was scarcer.

Foley's Honey and Tar Compound is an excellent medicine for coughs, colds, raw or inflamed throat, hoarseness, tightness and soreness of the chest, croup and whooping cough. It is an absolutely safe remedy, containing only healing ingredients, and free from any harmful drugs.

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SHOP AND RAILROAD NEWS

CHARLES J. RULO IN GOOD POSITION

Receives Appointment as Special Agent of Detroit Division of Wabash.

Chief Special Agent G. S. Ward, of the Wabash, announces that Charles J. Rulo has been appointed special agent of the Detroit division, with headquarters at Detroit, vice M. Quinn, resigned, the appointment becoming effective January 1.

This announcement will come as a pleasure to Mr. Rulo's many Fort Wayne friends, for they look upon the office he assumes as an important one which may lead to something better. Mr. Rulo has been connected in some way or other with police work for the past fifteen or eighteen years and is regarded a most competent and effective officer. He was connected with the police department of the Pennsylvania about fifteen years ago, serving as a patrolman from August 1, 1900 to December 16, 1901. On the latter date he was called to the Eastern division as a lieutenant, but his family objecting to a residence in Pittsburg, he came back here in two or three months and took special service in the Pennsylvania freight house. In March, 1902, he resigned and took a place as plain clothes man in the city department under Chief Homer Gorsline. After a service on the city force several years, he resigned and took employment at the Fort Wayne Electric works, where he had charge of one of the departments. About a year ago he retired from that position and was engaged for awhile in special detective work in Detroit. When Mr. Rulo was on the Pennsylvania police force, G. S. Ward was an inspector of police on the Pennsylvania with headquarters at Pittsburg.

GAVE THE BOYS THE SLIP.

E. Mizer, of the Pennsylvania planing mills; William McKeeman, of the east car shops, and Robert Larimer, traffic manager for the W. K. Noble Machine works, with their families, were at Hoagland, Ind., Saturday to attend the wedding of Guy Randolph and Miss Irva D. Crim, which took place at the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Emrick. There were many young people at the wedding and they arranged to make things warm for the bride and groom, but were outwitted. Soon after the wedding supper Mr. and Mrs. Randolph got in an automobile secretly and were driven to Hoagland, where they caught an interurban car for Fort Wayne and later took passage on the N. Y. C. to Jackson, Mich., where they will spend their honeymoon with an aunt of the groom. The couple will reside in Kentucky.

THIRTY-FIVE YEARS ON THE ROAD

Thirty-five years ago today Passenger Conductor M. H. Dochterman, of the Lake Erie and Western, began his career as a trainman and the greater portion of the service has been in the employ of the Lake Erie and Western, having a run at present on passenger trains 38 and 39 in and out of Fort Wayne. A remarkable feature of Mr. Dochterman's career was freedom from suspension on account of violation of the rules. He was never even "called upon the carpet," as the boys call it when up for reprimand. The first six or seven years of train service rendered by Mr. Dochterman was on the Whitewater branch of the Big Four system.

AUXILIARY INSTALLED OFFICERS.

Lodge No. 436, Ladies' Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, installed officers last Wednesday afternoon at one of the best meetings of the winter. The new officers are: Mrs. Carrie Webber, past president; Ella Foster, president; Mrs. Obenchain, vice president; Emma DeVilbiss, secretary; Sarah Miller, treasurer; Mrs. Engle, conductress; Mrs. Hayes, chaplain; Mrs. New, warden; Mrs. Hilker, inner guard; Mrs. Aimes, outer guard; Mrs. Carrie Webber, delegate to the grand lodge, and Mrs. McCormick, alternate delegate. The lodge is in a prosperous condition.

SHEET METAL WORKERS.

No. 156, Sheet Metal Workers, held its annual election, re-electing a number of the officers. The new roster is as follows: E. J. Motherwell, president; Charles Rodeman, vice president; C. C. Seib, recording secretary; Charles B. Rundell, financial secretary; John E. Rissing, treasurer; George Huebner, conductor; Charles Mooney, warden; D. W. Long, William Heine and J. C. Hinder, trustees. These officers were immediately installed and the meeting closed with a banquet in the hall, 619 Calhoun street.

Gave Janitor a Present

The sixteen or eighteen men employed in the car shop offices, the valuation office and the piecework pricemakers' office at the Pennsylvania shops on Lafayette street, contributed not a little to the enjoyment of Christmas at the home of John Steinhauser, janitor at those offices. They gave him a box containing a nice fat chicken, a lot of cranberries and other appurtenances of a Christmas dinner, including a liberal supply of candy for the "kiddies," a pair of warmly lined leather gloves, a necktie and a box of handkerchiefs. Mr. Steinhauser was greatly surprised and much pleased.

WESTERN GAS WORKS BUSY.

Recent contracts have given the Western Gas Works all the work they need to keep them busy several months. The latest order covered the furnishing of all the iron and steel used in the construction of a gas plant at Canal Dover, for which the American Coal and By-product company, of Chicago, is the contractor. Over $200,000 are involved in this contract. Another contract of considerable importance is the construction of a $50,000 gas plant at Halifax, Novia Scotia.

HAND BADLY BURNED.

While adjusting the machinery at the Fairfield picture show yesterday, Charles Grimes, the operator of the machinery, had his left hand badly burned when it came in contact with a live wire. The burn extended also to the wrist and is of a character that will disable the young man for a week or two. Joseph Seagraff will operate the machine during the absence of Mr. Grimes.

CHARLEY SZINK RECOVERS.

Charles Szink, of the Pennsylvania blacksmith shop, who sustained some bad cuts on his forehead and temporary concussion of the brain last October, when he was struck by a piece of a locomotive spring band, resumed work this morning. For a while it was feared he would lose the sight of one eye, but happily that danger has passed.

ED DARTNELL HERE.

W. E. Dartnell, traveling auditor of the Pennsylvania, is in the city today on business for the department. For a number of years Mr. Dartnell was employed in a clerical capacity in the Pennsylvania offices in Fort Wayne and knows everybody there. He is always a welcome visitor.

CHANGE AT STORAGE PLANT.

J. E. Collins, who resigned as manager of the creamery department of the Sherman White Cold Storage company, has taken the management of the Maumee Dairy company, at the corner of West Main and Fulton streets. Mr. Rose, of Chicago, has been transferred here to succeed Mr. Collins.

G. R. & I. WIRES REPAIRED.

The G. R. & I. telegraph line, which was out of commission as a result of the storm Friday night and Saturday, is now in good working order again. Eleven poles were broken down and the wires were broken at several places by the heavy coating of ice upon them.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

Frank Wisniewski, of the Pennsylvania blacksmith shop, is sick and off duty.

Engineer W. E. Mungovan, of the G. R. & I., is sick and off duty.

H. Gumbert, an upholsterer at the Pennsylvania shops, is sick and off duty.

Pennsylvania Machinist Felix Logan is sick and off duty.

After a week's illness C. H. Westerman reported for work at the Pennsylvania pipe shop this morning.

F. E. Kerns, who was sick ten days, reported at the Pennsylvania erecting shop this morning.

N. E. Work and O. S. Adams, who had been sick, reported at the Pennsylvania machine shop this morning.

Henry Lageman, clerk in the Pennsylvania store room, is absent from his desk today on account of sickness.

Trainmaster C. E. Wells, of the Wabash, was in the city yesterday and last night.

Frank J. Ruch, who had been sick, resumed duty at the Pennsylvania pipe shop this morning.

Mrs. Frank Renneman, wife of the Nickel Plate special man, is sick at the family home.

Operator C. E. Ridgeway, of the N. Y. C., spent Christmas and Sunday at his home in Tecumseh, Mich.

G. F. Wise, night engine dispatcher at the Pennsylvania round house, is taking a holiday lay off.

Machinist Clarence Seibold, of the Pennsylvania, spent Sunday with relatives and friends in Huntington.

Pennsylvania Engineers William Beck and Michael Leger are sick and off duty.

Fred Speckman and Carl Rockstrah, clerks at the Bass foundry office, are sick and off duty.

Orin Wyer, assistant yard foreman at the Bass foundry, resumed work this morning, after being sick a few days.

Gus Degitz, foreman of No. 1 car wheel room at the Bass foundry, spent a few hours in the country, Saturday, returning with seven rabbits.

On account of the serious condition of his wife, who may have to go to the hospital, Frank Oswald, night foreman at the Bass foundry, is off duty.

Mrs. Holzworth, wife of Machinist A. A. Holzworth, was called to Chicago today by news of the death of a relative.

C. S. Hoffman, clerk in the G. R. & I. division engineer's office, has returned from Fostoria, where he spent the holiday with relatives.

H. E. Franke, clerk for Commercial Agent E. O. Wagner, of the G. R. & I., is on duty again after a short visit with his mother at Constantine, Mich.

W. R. Hapner has resumed his duties at the desk in the office of Star Union Agent H. M. Quicksell, after a visit with his folks in Chicago.

George Hickler is absent from his duties in the Pennsylvania blacksmith shop on account of the death of a relative.

Night Station Master C. E. Bolens has resumed his duties at the Pennsylvania depot, after a brief absence on account of sickness.

A. E. Stapleford, cashier in the Nickel Plate freight offices at Stony Island, spent the week-end with friends and relatives in this city.

At the meeting of the Fort Wayne Federation of Labor tonight, President Shaw will announce the appointment of the various committees.

Oliver Itskin, who recently completed a term in the United States navy, has taken employment as a fireman with the Nickel Plate.

J. Gans, of the Pennsylvania car machine shop, left Friday evening for Florida, where he will spend two weeks with friends.

Fred A. Smith, chief clerk in the office of Superintendent H. N. Williams, of the Nickel Plate railroad, and Mrs. Smith spent Sunday with relatives in Green Springs, O.

Foreman F. A. Opatz, of the Pennsylvania blacksmith shop, and Mrs. Opatz, entertained their daughter, Mrs. J. H. Thomas, of Huntington, on Christmas.

Fred Eggiman, of the Buckeye Steel Casting company, of Columbus, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Eggiman, corner of East Wayne and Begue streets, over Christmas.

Ticket Agent Fred C. Eggers, of the Wabash railroad, with Mrs. Eggers and son, Delmar, spent Sunday at Woodburn as guests in the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. G. Lueders.

Joseph P. Gans, a helper in the Pennsylvania shops, and living at 1217 Spy Run avenue, left last night for New Orleans, La., and Jacksonville, Fla., on a business and pleasure trip.

E. K. Allen, formerly connected with the shipping department of the Fort Wayne Electric works and later engaged in real estate business in the city, is here visiting friends. Mr. Allen now resides in Elyria, Ohio.

Victor Colmey, a student of the Randolph-Macon college, who is here to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Colmey, went to Dunkirk, Ohio, today to visit his uncle a few days.

David Ryan, a machinist in the air brake department of the Pennsylvania round house, will be off duty a few days as a result of an injured eye. A hot cinder lodged against the center of the eyeball, burning it most painfully.

O. J. Farnan, Pennsylvania machinist, sustained injuries to his left hand Friday, which will disable him for a while. A glancing blow from a hammer landed on his hand, bruising and cutting the flesh.

No. 305, Brotherhood of Electric Workers, has decided to keep its charter open during the month of January and to make a vigorous effort to get a lot of new members. The union meets at 610 Calhoun street the second and fourth Wednesday of each month.

Paul Sarver, son of Boiler Foreman B. F. Sarver, is at the hospital, where he underwent a surgical operation for an effection of the nose. The operation was not of a difficult or serious character and the young man will speedily recover. He is a student at the High school.

Foreman Joseph Slater, of the Bass blacksmith shop, and his wife, had as guests during Christmas, Dr. and Mrs. George F. Slater and sons, Joe and John, of Chicago. John Slater, the youngest of the children, was christened at Trinity church yesterday, a ceremony in which the grandparents and parents were alike interested.

Alvin Tennant, employed in the Nickel Plate auditor's office at Cleveland, returned there last night after spending the week-end here with friends. Mr. Tennant's father, J. G. Tennant, formerly was traveling freight agent out of this city for the Nickel Plate, and now holds a similar position at Cleveland. He also spent the week-end here.

THE PYRAMIDS ARE SEEING ANOTHER WAR.

Camped almost under the shadow of the Pyramids, the Australian contingent sleeps under canvas which is anything but a hardship in the salubrious winter climate of Egypt.

PARK LEVY SHOULD NOT BE SEPARATE

Comptroller Believes the Present System Cause of Trouble.

City Comptroller William C. Baade believes that the constantly strained situation between the park board and the balance of the city government and the irritating financial questions that are frequently arising from it would be removed if the tax levy for park purposes were not separated from the general levy for city purposes. Comptroller Baade's opinion is that the financial aspects of the disagreement would not be presented if the park board law did not raise a sort of barrier between the park board and the balance of the municipal government, and that the board's financial problems would be easier of solution if that department were made, as it formerly was, essentially a part of the administration. The board this year submitted a budget for its annual expenditures, just as other departments did, but its tax funds are its own. When it requires more money than its levy produces there is a problem for solution in supplying it. The comptroller believes that if the park board's needs were considered it relation to the other city finances matters would be made much easier. The park board and the board of works are still apart on the question of paying the $800 paving assessment against Sieling park which was assumed when the property was taken over by the park department. The board of works refuses to assume the indebtedness and the park board will probably at the next meeting ask the council to pass an ordinance appropriating the money needed.

SNOW IS REMOVED DOWN TOWN.

The city street-cleaning department, with all the men it has been able to procure, has been waging war for two days on the snow in the down town district. After at first showing an indisposition to co-operate as in former years, the Traction company officials agreed to furnish flat cars to remove the snow from the streets. Cars were furnished and at 12:30 o'clock Monday morning the gangs of shovelers were put to work by Street Superintendent Herman Strodel, who had wanted 200 men Sunday, but was able to get a much smaller number. There were forty applicants for jobs and the Rescue Mission and the "bum" room at police headquarters were visited for more.

PARK BOARD ROUTINE.

The park board had up for consideration Monday afternoon the final hearing upon the assessment rolls for work under boulevard resolutions 8 and 13 and the acceptance of the work. No. 8 was sidewalks, grading park strips and planting trees on the north side of Rudisill boulevard from Calhoun street to South Wayne avenue and No. 13 for sidewalks, curb and gutters on both sides of Rudisill from Calhoun street to Piqua avenue.

WILL HOLD WATCH PARTY.

The members of the Saxonia Singing society, with their families and invited friends, will hold a watch party at its hall next Friday night to give a welcome to 1916.

THE DEATHS.

CORBAT.

Miss Mary Corbat, aged 21 years, died at St. Joseph's hospital Sunday afternoon following an operation which she had undergone for appendicitis. She

MARY CORBAT.

had made her home with an uncle, Frank Corbat, seven miles west of the city. She was born and reared in Aboit township and attended school at St. Patrick's church at Arcola. Six brothers survive her, Frank, Joseph, Julian, Albert, James and Robert Corbat.

Funeral services Wednesday morning at 9:15 o'clock at the residence of the uncle and at 10 o'clock at St. Patrick's Catholic church at Arcola. Interment at the Catholic cemetery.

M'CUMSEY.

Frances L. McCumsey, aged sixty-nine years, wife of A. M. McCumsey, of 225 East DeWald street, died Saturday at the family home following an illness of ten years due to complications. She was born in Michigan, December 13, 1846, and was a member of Simpson M. E. church. Besides the husband she is survived by one son, W. H. McCumsey, at home and a sister, Mrs. Kate Snyder, of Grand Rapids, Mich.

Funeral services Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence, Rev. H. L. Overdeer officiating. Interment at Lindenwood.

COHOGAN.

Mrs. Mary Cohogan died at the family home, 819 Erie street, Saturday evening following a short illness due to pneumonia. She was the wife of Alonza Cohogan, to whom she was married on September 11, 1911. The deceased was born and reared in Fort Wayne and had attained the age of 54 years. Besides the husband she is survived by the following sisters: Mrs. Charles Feltz and Mrs. Elizabeth Potter, of Fort Wayne; Mrs. Frances Allgeier, of Grand Rapids; Mrs. Lena Lupkin, of New Haven. Mrs. Cohogan was a member of St. Mary's Catholic church.

Funeral services Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock at the residence and at 9 o'clock at St. Mary's Catholic church.

VOLZ.

Mrs. Marguerite Volz, widow of the late Anthony Volz, died at midnight Saturday at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. John Schmitt, 2927 Hanna street, at the advanced age of 81 years. Death followed an illness of two years due to senility. Mrs. Volz was a resident of Fort Wayne for thirty years and was a member of St. Peter's Catholic church and of the Christian Mother's society of the same congregation.

Surviving she leaves the following children: Jacob Volz, of Fort Wayne; Frank Volz, of Chicago; Mrs. Joseph Shickler, of Chicago; Louis Volz, of Columbus, Ohio; Mrs. George Heckler, Mrs. John Schmitt and Mrs. Joseph Labba, all of Fort Wayne. Fifteen grandchildren also survive her.

Funeral services Wednesday morning at 8:30 o'clock at the late residence and at 9 o'clock at St. Peter's Catholic church.

ELLIS.

Mrs. Alice M. Ellis, wife of N. Ellis, of 327 West DeWald street, died at the family residence at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon following a four months' illness. The deceased was born in Michigan but came to Fort Wayne when she was five years of age. The father, S. J. Hartshorn, for many years conducted a candy store on Calhoun street. She was 47 years of age.

Besides the husband she is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Frances Bartel, of Fort Wayne, and Miss Cora Hartshorn, of Grand Junction, Colo.; two daughters, Misses LaRena and LaVon Ellis; the father, S. J. Hartshorn.

Funeral services Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence, 327 West DeWald street. Services and interment private.

FUNERAL NOTICES

Gick—Funeral services for Henry Gick will be held Tuesday noon at the parlors of Schone and Ankenbruck. Interment at Lindenwood.

NEW YEAR'S RESERVATIONS should be made now. Come to the Wayne Hotel, the amusement center. 27-4t

Consumption is most common between the ages of twenty-five and thirty.

NOTICE TO PARENTS! On January 1st, the price of The Book Knowledge will raise $10.00. Take advantage of the present price of the set, that gives lasting joy and education to your children. $2.00 per month, or discount for cash. E. Peters, agt. Phone 1684 Blue.

CARRANZA MEN IN CONTROL.

Have Taken Over Civil Government in Juarez.

El Paso, Tex., Dec. 27.—Control of the civil government of Juarez by the Mexican de facto government began today with the installation of officials, inspection of archives and establishment of official bank accounts. The mustering out of Villa soldiers also began.

Jose Cantu, brother of Governor Cantu, of Lower California, said today Governor Cantu turned over his entire organization to the government yesterday.

INDIANA COAL MEN OBJECT.

Rates on Coal to West Unjust, They Contend.

Washington, Dec. 27.—Illinois and Indiana coal operators associations today complained to the inter-state commerce commission that Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe and other roads' rates on coal in car lots from Indiana and Illinois mines to Wisconsin, Minnesota and Iowa points are unreasonable and unjust compared with rates from other points.

HOW MUCH MONEY

Are YOU Going to Save Next Year

Make Your Decision NOW, Then JOIN OUR CHRISTMAS CLUB

which will make it easy to carry out your purpose.

Put aside a certain amount each week and you will receive a check on December 15th for the full amount, plus interest.

Everybody Welcome No Charge to Join

Make a deposit TODAY and receive a member's ticket.

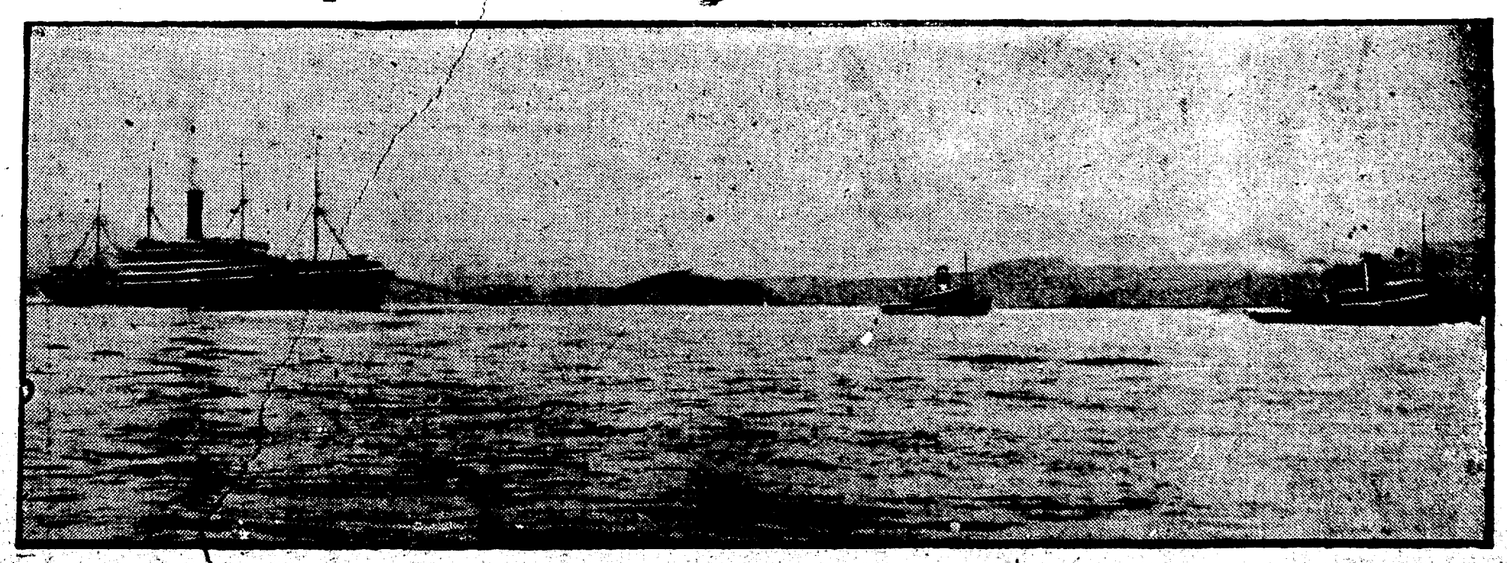
Hamilton National Bank

White Fruit House

It's Pure Granulated Sugar 5-lb. Sack, 31c.

Special Table Tumblers, doz.....25c
Extra Canvas Gloves, pair.....9c
Roasted Rio Coffee ...12c and 15c lb.
Extra Santos Coffee...21 and 25c lb.
Arbuckles Roasted Coffee ....19c lb.
Early June Peas, can 9c
Extra Sugar Corn, can 9c
Pork and Beans, large can 10c
Extra quality Cocoa .....28c lb.
Buckwheat and Pancake Flour....9c
Seeded Raisins, 3 pkgs. 25c
Fancy California Citron .....25c lb.
Evaporated Milk, can .....4c and 8c
Macaroni, large pkg., 3 for 25c
Extra Full Cream Cheese.....24c lb.
Wisconsin Limburger Cheese ...22c lb.
Fresh shipment Lake Erie Grey Bass and Pickerel for Tuesday .....8c and 12c lb.
Fresh Baltimore Oysters, can 23c
S. & H. Green Trading Stamps given is like getting interest on the money you spend.

The Hoax Ship Minnesota Being Towed Into San Francisco Harber



Boilers disabled, the Hill liner Minnesota was towed into port at San Francisco, where United States officials immediately went aboard to conduct an investigation into the alleged mystery of the exploded boiler tubes. For over a week the ship was the topic of news due to the refusal of Capt. Garlick to make known the reason for her return to port after starting for England. His refusal and the subsequent mystery was due, it is said, to direct orders from Port Supt. Wiley, of the Great Northern Steamship company.

PHONE 173

Thousands of sensible, well-to-do people are waiting to co-operate with you through Sentinel Want ads. Advertise your needs---look for your wants.

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THE MARKETS

TWELFTH DISTRICT PRICES.

Grain, Hay and Feed.

Corn—Yellow, 75c per 100 lbs.
Wheat—$1.19 bu.
Rye—75c bu.
Clover seed—$8.00@10.00.
Timothy Seed—$2.50@3.00 bu.
Oats—35c bu.

RETAIL STREET MARKET.

Eggs—Strictly fresh (candled), 36@39c doz.
Butter—Elgin creamery 33c lb; country butter, 30c lb.
Poultry—Chickens, 12@14c lb.
Ducks—Dressed, 16@18c lb.
Chickens—Dressed, 18c lb.
Turkeys—18@21c lb.
Dressed Turkeys—28@31c lb.
Lard—11@14c lb.
Apples—50@75c bu.
Potatoes—60@90c bu.

Wholesale Barr Street Market.

Wheat—$1.19 bu.
Corn—58c bu.
Oats—36c bu.
Barley—90c bu.
Eggs—32@35c bu.
Chickens—11@14c lb.
Dressed Pork—$8.00@8.25.
Butter—26@28c lb.
Hogs—$6.25.
Geese—12@13c lb.
Turkeys—17@19c lb.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

ECKART PACKING CO.
(Corrected Daily by E. A. Walker).

HOGS—
150 to 250 lbs $6.25
130 to 140 lbs 6.00
110 to 120 lbs ..... 5.00@5.50

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

C. Tressett & Co.

Wheat—$1.19 bu.
Rye—85c bu.
Oats—20@30c bu.
Corn—55c bu
Barley—New, 60c bu.
Flour—Winter wheat straight (Hungarian), $6.20@6.80 per bbl.; winter wheat patent (Silver Dollar), $6.80@7.40 bbl; spring wheat patent (our own), $7.20@7.80 bbl.
Little Turtle Flour—$6.00@6.60 bbl.
Rye—Pure Rye Flour, $5.80@6.40 bbl.
Graham Flour—$5.60@6.20 bbl.
Pumpernickel Flour—$6.40@7.00 bbl.
Bran—$24.00@28.00 per ton.
Shorts—$28.00@30.00 per ton.
Middlings—$30.00@32.00 per ton.
Chopfeed—$26.00@36.00 per ton.
Cornmeal—Bolted, $2.00@2.20 per cwt; coarse, $1.90@2.10 per cwt.
Cracked Corn—$1.90@2.10 per cwt.
Screenings—$1.70 cwt.
Small Wheat—2.00 per cwt.

MAYFLOWER MILLS.

Wheat—$1.21 bu.
Corn—55c bu
Oats—35c bu.
Barley—70c bu.
Flour—Winter wheat (straight) $6.20@6.60 bbl; Newveno flour, $7.00@7.40 bbl; Silver Dust flour, $6.40@7.00 bbl; rye flour, $6.00@6.60 bbl.
Rye—85c bu.
Chopfeed—$35.00@36.00 ton.
Middlings—$27.00@28.00 ton.
Bran—$25.00@26.00 ton.

GLOBE MILLS QUOTATIONS.
(Corrected by Paul H. W. Trier).

Wheat—$1.19 bu; corn, 55c bu; oats, 30c bu; rye, 80c bu; barley, 60c bu; Jumbo poultry feed, $36.00@38.00 ton; salt, per bbl, $1.35.
Selling prices: Bleached straight winter wheat flour (Holiday), $6.20@6.40 bbl; Gold Lace, $6.00@6.20; Graham flour, $6.10@6.50; Pumpernickel flour, $7.00 bbl; bran, $32.00@36.00 ton; cornmeal (bolted), $2.00@2.50 cwt; cornmeal (coarse), $1.20@2.00 cwt.

HIDES, WOOL, ROOTS, ETC.
(Weil Bros & Co.)

Hides—Green, 15c lb; cured light and heavy, 19@20c lb; green calfskin, 16c lb; cured calfskin, 19@20c lb.
Old Rubber Boots and Shoes—8c lb.
Copper—14@16c lb.
Zinc—9@10c lb.
Horsehides—$3.00@5.00.
Rags—$1.75 cwt.
Wild Gingseng Root—$7.00@8.00.
Golden Seal Root (dry)—$3.75@4.25.
Wool—No. 1 unwashed, 30@32c.

Maier Hide and Fur Co.

No. 1 cured hides—17@18c.
No. 1 green hides—15@16c.
No. 1 calfskin, cured—18@19c.
No. 1 calfskin, green—16@17c.
No. 1 horsehides—$4.25@5.00.
Pelts, according to quality, 50c to $2.00.
Wild Ginseng—$7.00@8.50.
Golden Seal—$3.50@4.00 lb.
Wool—30@32c.

Feed Quotations.
(Corrected by W. D. Henderson & Co).

Timothy Hay—$13.00@16.00.
Mixed Hay—$11.00@13.00.
Clover Hay—$8.00@10.00 ton.
Corn—56@61c bu.
Oats—New, 30@40c bu.
Barley—55@60c bu.
Rye—70c bu.
Timothy Seed—$2.50@2.75 bu.

PRODUCE QUOTATIONS.

Ackerman-Wiener Company.
(Corrected by G. M. Wiener).

Butter—Prices given on application.
Table Butter—23@25c lb.
Eggs—Strictly fresh (candled), 33@35c doz.
Potatoes—65@75c bu.

Beyer Brothers' Quotations.
(Corrected Daily by George Crouse. Subject to change without notice).

Cranberries (Jerseys)—$8.50 per bbl.; Howe's, $9.00 per bbl.
Florida grape fruit—$3.50.
Isle of Pine Grape Fruit—$3.25@4.00.
Eggs—Strictly fresh (candled), 32c doz; candled, 31c doz; current receipts, 30c doz.
New Potatoes—60@70c bu.
Apples—Fancy No. 1, $3.00 bbl; medium No. 2, 20@30c bu.
Celery—25c bunch.
Onions—No. 1 yellow, 60c; No. 2 yellow, 30c.
Lemons—$3.50@4.50 box.
Oranges—Valencias, $5.25.
Florida—$3.75.

CITY SCALES.

Hay—Receipts, 11 loads; $12.00@13.00 ton.
Corn—Receipts, 5 loads; 58@60c bu.
Oats—Receipts, 4 loads; 35@37c bu.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Chicago, Dec. 27.—Wheat, No. 2, red, $1.27½@1.28½; No. 3, red, $1.15@1.24; No. 2, hard, $1.27¼@1.28½; No. 3, hard, $1.19@1.21¼.

The close was weak at the same as Friday's finish to 1⅛@1¼c down, with Dec. at $1.27¼, and May $1.26⅞@1.27.

Corn, No. 2 yellow, old, 75½c; No. yellow, new, 69@71½c; No. 4 white, new,

The closet was weak at ⅝c to ¾c net advance.
69@71¼c.

Oats, No. 3, white, 42¾@43½c.; standard, 44@45¾c; rye, No. 2, 98c; barley, 64@73c; timothy, $5.50@8.25; clover, $11.00@19.00; pork, $16.35; lard, $9.62; ribs, $9.50@10.00.

Range of Prices for the Day.
Chicago, Dec. 24, 1915.

	Open.	Hign.	Low.	Close.
Wheat:				
Dec	127¾	128¾	126⅝	127¼
May	128¼	129	126⅞	126⅞
Corn:				
Dec.	73⅜	75½	73¼	74
May	76¾	76¼	76½	77½
Oats:				
Dec.	43½	44½	43⅝	43¾
May	47¼	48¼	47¼	47½
Pork:				
Jan.	19.10	19.25	18.85	18.85
May	19.20	19.25	18.85	18.85
Lard:				
Jan.	9.80	9.80	9.72	9.72
May	10.07	10.10	10.00	10.00
Ribs:				
Jan.	10.20	10.22	10.00	10.00
May	10.55	10.57	10.35	10.35

Chicago Cash Grain.

Chicago, Dec. 27.—Profit taking by holders more than wiped out an advance today in the wheat market. After opening at ⅛c to ⅞c advance, with Dec. at $1.27¾ to $1.28, and May at $1.28¼ to $1.29, prices receded to slightly below Friday's finish. Colder weather gave firmness to corn. Opening prices, which varied from ⅛c off to ¼c up, were followed by a slight sag and then a substantial advance all around.

Oats kept in line with corn.

Higher prices on hogs carried provisions up grade.

Toledo Closing Prices.

Toledo, O., Dec. 27.—Wheat cash—Dec. $1.30; May, $1.34⅜.

Corn, cash; new, 76c; old, 81c; Dec. 76c; May, 79½c; July, 80c.

Oats, cash, 47c; Dec. 47c; May, 50½c.

Rye, cash, 97c.

Toledo Seed Market.

Toledo, Dec. 27.—Wheat cash and Dec. $1.30; May, $1.34⅜; clover seed, prime cas hand Dec., $12.25; February, $12.35; March, $12.10; alsike prime cash and Dec., $3.90; February, $3.95; March, $4.00.

New York Grain and Provisions.

New York, Dec. 27.—Flour firmly held, spring patents, $5.75@6.25; winter patents, $5.60@5.80; winter straights, $5.45@5.75; Kansas straights, $5.60@5.75.

New York, Dec. 27.—Raw sugar quiet; centrifugal, $4.52@4.77; molasses, $3.75@4.00; refined quiet cut loaf, $6.85; crushed, $6.75; mould A, $5.40; cubes, $6.20; XXXX powdered, $6.10; fine granulated, $5.95; Diamond A, $5.95; confectioners A, $5.85; No. 1, $5.70; futures, lower.

Political Announcements.

To the Editor of The Sentinel:

Please announce the name of C. G. Vondara as candidate for county recorder on the democratic ticket, subject to the democratic primary. 11-15-tf

MARTIN'S PLUMBING SHOP
X PLUMBERS and HEATERS X
Home & Michigan

Shop in The Sentinel Before You Shop in the Store

It will profit you in time and many times in pocketbook to read the advertisements before you leave home in the morning. All the stores are daily making their best offerings to The Sentinel readers. Some merchant is probably offering today an attractive assortment of just what you need.

Read the Advertisements Before you go down town

WANTED.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP.

FREEMAN'S School of Cutting and Dressmaking. School every weekday but Saturday. Night class opens Nov. 8. Pupils admitted any time. Patterns cut to measure. For particulars please call 303 Madison street. 9-7-tf

WANTED—Young girl for light housework; no washing; to go home nights; apply mornings, 910 W. Berry street, Flat No. 4, 2d Floor. 27-tf

WANTED—Girls, Apply Dudlo Manufacturing Co., Wall street, at once. d27-3t

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 704 W. Wayne street. 27-1t

EITHER SEX

WANTED—Good elegible pen writers, male or female. Apply Weil Bros. Co., 324 E. Columbia street. 27-1t

MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—By two young ladies, board and room in nice private home; or rooms where they can get some of their own light meals. Something permanent. South side or central. Both employed in offices. References given. Address A. C., Sentinel. 27-2t

WANTED—Watch, clock and jewelry repairing at reduced prices. Wayne Littlefield, jewelry store, successor to Dallas F. Green, 208 West Berry street. 7-17-tf

WANTED—All parties leaving city call South Side Storage and Van Co. Phone 7315-7615; will give free estimates on packing and crating household goods. 12-22-2m

WANTED—We are now ready to make out your 1916 auto license applications. We furnish all blanks and give any information regarding the motor vehicle law. L. J. Libbing & Co., 205 East Main. Phone 920. 11-25-tf

BOB SLED—Holds 12 couples, for hire. 2312 Savannah. 27-tf

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

East Buffalo Market.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 27.—Hogs—Receipts today, 8,000; shipments today, 3,800; shipments to New York today, 3,800; receipts yesterday, 6,400; shipments yesterday, 2,660; shipments to New York yesterday, 2,660. Official to New York Saturday, $5.70; strong, medium and heavy, $6.75@6.85; yorkers, $6.75; pigs and lights, $6.25@6.50; roughs, $6.00; stags, $4.50@5.00.

Cattle—Dull; 10c to 25c lower; steers, $8.50@9.00; butchers, $7.00@7.50; fat cows, $4.50@6.50; heifers, $5.00@7.00; bulls, $4.00

Sheep, 7,600; higher. Lambs, $10.40@10.40; yearlings, $8.00@9.00; weathers, $6.75@7.00; ewes, $6.00@6.50.

Indianapolis Market.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 27.—Hogs—Receipts, 3,000; cattle, $4.50; calves, $1.00; sheep, $1.50.

Hogs—Best heavies, $6.55@6.80; medium and mixed, $6.55@6.65; good to choice lights, $6.55@6.60; common to good lights, $6.50@6.55; roughs, $5.50@6.25; bulk of sales, $6.55@6.60.

Pittsburg Market.

Pittsburg, Dec. 27.—Cattle, receipts, 2,100; 25c higher; top, $9.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 6,000; 25c higher; prime heavies, $6.85 to $6.90; mediums, $6.75 to $6.80; heavy yorkers, $6.70 to $6.75; light yorkers, $6.30 to $6.50; pigs, $6.00 to $6.25.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1,300; 50c higher; top sheep, $7.0; top lambs, $10.50.

Calves—$6.00; steady good to choice veals, $11.00.

Chicago Market.

Chicago, Dec. 27.—Hogs—Receits, 24,000; strong bulk, $6.10@6.55; lights, $5.75@6.45; heavy, $6.10@6.65; rough, $6.10@6.25; pigs, $4.75@5.90.

Cattle—Receipts, 19,000; easy steers, $6.00@9.90; western steers, $6.25@8.10; cows and heifers, $2.80@8.40; calves, $6.25@9.50.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—HOMES.

FOR RENT—302 East DeWald, modern. 3202 Broadway. 315 West Pontiac, modern. 2½ acres land, dwelling, stable and fruit trees, Lincoln highway. 711 West Berry street, modern. 1433 Taylor street, and garage; modern. SCHRADER & WILSON, Main and Court, first floor. 8-28-tf

FOR RENT—Seven-room house, with bath and light, 827 Huestis avenue. Phone 6538 red. 27-3t

FLATS.

FOR RENT—Modern lower flat, six rooms and bath, 711 East Jefferson. 11-8-tf

ROOMS.

FOR RENT—Furnished room; large; modern; electric lights, steam heat, soft water bath; four squares from business center; suitable for one or two gentlemen; references required. Phone 3251 black or 2014. 10-18-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room on second floor, with bath and steam heat. Apply at 348 East Lewis street. 9-9-tf

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms with barn, $12. 607 East Washington. 12-7-tf

Sheep—Receipts, 12,000; steady; wethers, $6.20@6.90; lambs, $7.0@9.60.

PRODUCE AND POULTRY.

Chicago Market.

Chicago, Dec. 27.—Buttery steady; creamery, 22½@33½c; eggs, unsettled; receipts, 2,328; firsts, 27½@28c; ordinary firsts, 26½@27c; at market cases included, 21½@27½c; potatoes higher; receipts, 25 cars; Michigan and Wisconsin white, 72@80c; Minnesota white, 78@80c; Ohios, 70@75c.

Poultry alive, higher; fowls, 11½; springs, 12c; turkeys, 16c.

New York Market.

New York, Dec. 27.—Butter unsettled; receipts 5,841; creamery extras, 92c; score, 34@34½c; creamery higher, scoring 35@35½c; firsts, 28½@33c.

Eggs, unsettled; receipts, 7,996; fresh gathered, extra fine, 34@35c; extra firsts, 32½@33c; firsts, 31@32c. Live poultry prices not settled. Dressed, firm, fresh killed chickens, 14½@27c; fowls, 12½@17c; turkeys, 23@25c.

THE DAY ON WALL STREET.

New York, Dec. 27.—Active trading in specialties particularly the war shares, was the feature of today's early market, some of the prominent copper issues gaining 1 to almost 2 points. U. S. Steel soon altered its leadership, however, blocks of 1,000 to 2,000 shares and later of 4,500 shares changing hands at 88⅛c, a maximum gain of almost a point over the close. Two points advances were scored by Baldwin locomotive, Studebaker, Westinghouse and Great Northern ore and New York Central.

Dealings in the first hour barely aggregated 200,000 shares despite the active movement in steel. Steel and Central receded moderately on realizing for profit and war shares were affected to some extent. Bonds were irregular, with marked heaviness in Anglo-French 5s, large blocks selling at 94¼c.

Rails took precedence in the final hour, with gains of 1 to over 2 points in such leaders as Central, Union Pacific, Northern Pacific and Reading. The closing was strong.

SOCIETY

Miss Helen Kline went to Cincinnati on Monday to attend a convention of Kindergarten teachers.

Miss Lois Connell, of Decatur, is visiting Miss Velma O'Connell, of East DeWald street, for a few days.

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A Country Surprise Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dammeyer entertained at their country home, which is five and a half miles south of the city, on Sunday, a jolly crowd of relatives and friends in honor of Mrs. Dammeyer's forty-fifth birth anniversary. The surprise was planned by the children, Clara and Will Dammeyer. The guests spent the evening playing various card games and at a later hour disposed of a delicious luncheon served by the hostess. There were present Mr. and Mrs. Gorgies Harries, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moellering, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Oetting, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Oetting, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fruechtenicht, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lange, Mr. and Mrs. John Lange, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Toenges, Miss Esther Toenges, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fortriede, Mr. and Mrs. William Oetting and family, Miss Clara Lange, Fred Harries, Paul Lange, Martin Fruechtenicht and Grandma Fruechtenicht.

FULTON FIRST, THEN MORAN.

Chicago, Dec. 27.—According to Tom Jones, manager of Jess Willard, the champion is willing to meet Frank Moran a few days after his bout with Fred Fulton, but Jones reiterated today his determination to carry out the agreement to have the Fulton match come first. Jones expects to start tonight for New Orleans with Tom Andrews, there to insist on the Fulton bout for March 4 or withdraw the champion.

All week and while they last

NO. 1 STEEL TRAPS 10c

$1.00 per dozen.

L. J. LIBBING & CO.,
"The Tool House". 205 E. Main St.

FOR SALE

HOMES.

FOR SALE—On paved street, close to Weisser Park, a beautiful 8-room modern house. Has soft water bath, water plumbing, combination lights, all finely papered. This house must be seen to be appreciated. Will sell, what it cost to build a year ago (from owner) only. Address 2938 Hanna street; phone 7482 Green.

FOR SALE—Seven rooms, bath and large garage; all new, modern improvements, inside and outside; no better location on south side; No. 2708 South Wayne avenue, second door south of Swayne avenue; lot 50 by 150 feet. Inquire at Nuttman & Co.'s bank, 123 East Main street. O. S. Hanna. 10-11-tf

FOR SALE—Being convenient to car line and modern, are the special features of a 6-room house on John street for $4,000.
DOUD & ELLIS,
209 Shoaff Building. 6-6-tf

FOR SALE—Centrally located is the apartment house we have for sale at $8,000; good investment. Party leaving town.
DOUD & ELLIS,
209 Shoaff Building. 6-6-tf

FOR SALE—Six-room house on Indiana avenue; good location for one employed at Electric works.
DOUD & ELLIS,
209 Shoaff Building. 6-6-tf

FOR SALE—We will sell for $1,000 cash a 7-room modern house on Wells street.
DOUD & ELLIS,
209 Shoaff Building. 6-6-tf

FOR SALE—Eight-room house, bath, lights, gas, both kinds of water. 1316 McClellan street. 10-21-tf

HOUSEHOLD GOODS.

FOR SALE—China cabinet and one sideboard at a bargain. Telephone 6373. 2936 Oliver. 12-13-tf

AUTOMOBILES.

FULL STOCK REPAIR PARTS FOR FORD CARS AT LOW PRICES—Our parts man has had six years' experience. He will advise you and help you select such parts as you need for your FORD. All repair parts, tops, windshields, wheels, etc. Brosius Auto Co., 329 East Main street. Phone 1494. 10-22-tf

EXIDE STORAGE BATTERY Service Station. Prompt and expert service to automobile users. Repairing and recharging exhausted storage batteries, adjusting, starting and lighting systems. "Inspection Free." 1216 Harrison. Phone 2813. 9-16-tf

FOR SALE—One 1913 five-passenger Studebaker touring car, fully equipped, $275 for quick sale. Inquire Fort Wayne Credit Co., 1221 Calhoun street. Phone 535. 12-9-tf

STOVES AND RANGES.

FOR SALE—Second-hand base burner. Inquire 1533 West Main. Phone 2039. 12-21-tf

MISCELLANEOUS.

DOME DANDRO, No. 6, is one of nature's best hair growers. It will grow hair where all others have failed. It will remove dandruff, and is a scientific treatment for the hair bulbs if they are not destroyed. Prepared by H. W. Niswonger, 609 Barr street. Phone 3515. 12-2-1yr

FOR SALE—Farm mares, one black, 8 years, in foal; grey 5 years old; no further use for them. Also driver, 807 Wilt. 12-21-tf

FOR SALE—Durroc Shoats. Wm. Langley, Route 15, city. d27-1t

GOVERNOR HANNA NOW ILL.

Another Member of Ford Peace Party is Stricken.

London, Dec. 27.—(4:30 p. m.)—The Copenhagen correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph company reports that Gov. L. B. Hanna, of North Dakota, has arrived at Copenhagen, severely ill of influenza and has gone to a hospital.

"Wm. J. Bryan has cabled that he will meet the Ford party at The Hague," the correspondent adds. Mr. Ford is reported to have told friends he expects to build a peace palace at Copenhagen.

CONDEMNED BY PRIZE COURT.

Owners of Steamer Solveid Will Appeal French Finding.

Washington, Dec. 27.—The steamer Solveid, owned by the American Trans-Atlantic company, has been condemned by the French prize court. The owners will appeal. Flying a Norwegian flag the Solveid was seized while in a French port. Her American papers reached her commander a few days later. Suspected German ownership was given as the cause for detaining the vessel.

CLEARY GOES TO PRISON.

Acquitted of Murder, He Must Pay Forgery Penalty.

Nyack, N. Y., Dec. 27.—William V. Cleary, formerly town clerk of Haverstraw, who was acquitted of the murder of his young son-in-law, Eugene B. Newman, about a year ago, was today sentenced to not less than three years and not more than six years and four months in prison. He was convicted of forgery a few days ago.

CLASSMATE OF TAFT DIES.

James B. McEwan, Former Mayor of Albany, Is No More.

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 27.—James B. McEwan, formerly mayor of Albany, for ten years a member of the state legislature, died here today. He was graduated from Yale university in 1878 in the class with former President Taft.

REAL ESTATE. REAL ESTATE.

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Children's Dept.—THE WILDWOOD MAGAZINE

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THE WEATHER.

LOCAL OFFICE UNITED STATES WEATHER BUREAU.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Dec. 27.—Local data for the twenty-four hours ending at noon today.

Temperature at the end of each hour:

2:00 p. m.	31	2:00 a. m.	35
3:00 p. m.	32	2:00 a. m.	35
4:00 p. m.	32	4:00 a. m.	35
5:00 p. m.	33	5:00 a. m.	35
6:00 p. m.	33	6:00 a. m.	35
7:00 p. m.	34	7:00 a. m.	35
8:00 p. m.	34	8:00 a. m.	34
9:00 p. m.	34	9:00 a. m.	34
10:00 p. m.	34	10:00 a. m.	33
11:00 p. m.	35	11:00 a. m.	32
Midnight	35	Noon	31
100 a. m.	35	1:00 p. m.	31
		2:00 p. m.	31

Highest temperature yesterday, 34.

Lowest this morning, 34.

Highest since the first of the month, 42, on the 22nd.

Lowest since the first of the month, 10, on the 15th.

Precipitation for the twenty-four hours ending at noon today, trace of an inch.

Precipitation since the first of the month, 1.48 inches.

Maumee river stage at 7 a. m. today, 2.6 feet.

Relative humidity, 7 p. m., yesterday, 78 per cent.

7 a. m. today, 73 per cent.

Barometer, reduced to sea level:

7:00 p. m. yesterday, 30.02 inches.

7:00 a. m today, 30.08 inches.

Highest wind velocity, 20 miles per hour from the south, at 12:40 p. m.

Sunsets today, 4:19 p. m.

Sun rises tomorrow, 7:06 a. m

For Fort Wayne and vicinity (radius 20 miles): tonight and Tuesday unsettled, probably snow; much colder.

For Indiana: Cloudy tonight and Tuesday, with probably rain turning to snow south portions; much colder.

For Ohio: Partly cloudy, with local snows north, and rain or snow south portion tonight and Tuesday; colder.

For Lower Michigan: Snow flurries and much colder tonight; Tuesday partly cloudy; colder east portion.

Shippers' Forecast (radius 300 miles): Protect shipments during the next 24 to 36 hours from temperatures as follows: North and northwest, 10 degrees; east, 15 to 20 degrees; south, 20 to 30 degrees.

WEATHER CONDITIONS

The pressure is high over the south Atlantic states, northeastern slope, and north Pacific states; it is low over the Lake region, west gulf states, and Canadian northwest. Light snow has occurred in portions of the lake region, north Atlantic states, central Rocky Mountain region, and on the middle eastern slope. The temperatures are generally below the seasonal average on the Atlantic coast and to the westward of the Mississippi, and the weather is warmer than the normal in a belt from the eastern lake region southwestward to the west gulf coast. The weather is quite cold in the upper Mississippi and Missouri valleys, with temperatures at zero or lower.

P. McDonough, Local Forecaster.

ADDITIONAL DEATHS.

CARTO

Mrs. Marie E. Carto, wife of James J. Carto, died at 9:30 o'clock Monday morning at the home of a son, Frank Carto, 444 East Leith street, at the age of 54 years. Death followed an illness of five years and was due to asthmatic complications. She was born and reared in Fort Wayne and spent her entire life in Fort Wayne. She was a devout member of St. Peter's Catholic church.

Besides the husband she is survived by a son, Frank Carto, a well known Pennsylvania conductor; three sisters, Mrs. Rose Richards and Mrs. Julia Center, both of Fort Wayne, and Mrs. Cleo McAlpine, of Arizona.

Funeral services, Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock at the residence and at 10 o'clock at St. Peter's Catholic church.

ANOTHER BRITISH BOAT SUNK.

London, Dec. 27.—The 4,000 ton British steamship Yeddo, from Calcutta, Nov. 24, for Boston and New York, has been sunk. Her crew was saved.

NEW YEAR'S RESERVATIONS
should be made now. Come to the Wayne Hotel, the amusement center. 27-4t

B. F. Rousseau

A beautiful 5-acre suburban home, well improved, fine location, for sale or exchange for city property. 40 acres close in for sale or trade for city property. Also 160 acres and 80 acres, fine locations close to our city. I have some extra fine 5 and 10 acre tracts, interurban stuff, close in.

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The best bargain on west side of Calhoun street; a corner.

Thoroughly modern house, seven rooms and bath, hard-wood floors, west end; $6,500.00.

Large piece of track property, fine location for storage house; will sell at a very low price. Phone 327.

Farmer, buy a farm now for spring possession. We have all sizes in all locations.

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West-Bound Trains Leave	
6:00 A.M	3:00 P.M
7:10 A.M*	4:00 P.M
8:00 A.M	5:30 P.M*
9:10 A.M*	6:35 P.M
10:30 A.M	8:30 P.M
12:00 A.M	11:00 P.M†
1:10 P.M*	
South-Bound Trains Leave	
6:00 A.M	2:00 P.M*
7:00 A.M	3:00 P.M
8:00 A.M	4:00 P.M*
9:00 A.M	5:00 P.M
10:00 A.M*	6:00 P.M*
11:00 A.M	8:00 P.M*
1:00 P.M	10:00 P.M*
	11:00 P.M

Trains leaving here at 7:10 A. M., 9:10 A. M., 1:10 P. M. and 5:30 P. M. make connection at Peru for Indianapolis.

South-bound train 7:00 A. M. daily except Sunday.

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SENTINEL WANT ADS ALWAYS GET RESULTS

DO YOU FEED YOUR PLANTS ON TEA?

If your house plants look dull and d roopy don't feed them on corn beef and cabbage No, No! Don't even give th em ice cream sodas!

Professor Kane of New York has de clared that the house plant will thrive on tea—just the ordinary green or black va riety prepared in the usual way and poured on the plant each morning.

You might try it, although we fe ar it might tend to make the plant nervous and irritable.

LONELY WIDOWS SEEK NEW TRIPS TO ALTAR

Chicago Woman's Cupid Bureau Gets Many Pleas for Husbands.

Chicago, Dec. 27.—Because of Christmas loneliness or the fear of it, many maids and widows and swains have been sent romancing. At least, they have expressed their dreams of this contented state in long letters to Mrs. Josephine H. Lawrence, superintendent of the social service department of the county court, during the good will season. On account of illness Mrs. Lawrence, however, has not been able to give the letters the attention they deserved, and the love epistles have piled up unopened on her desk from day to day.

Married a Day; Deserted.

A girl from the Rock River mills, in Goshen, Ind., was the first to rebel at loneliness. Her husband objected to her attending church on Sunday, she says, and left her after one day. This is her letter:

"I am a poor, lonesome girl in Goshen, Ind. I am writing to you in the hope that you may help me find a husband. I am a spinner in the Rock River mills and earn good wages. I am a very young widow—only 18 years old. I was married only four months today and was with my husband one night. I heard he is dead, but do not know, as he left me when we were married but two days. I have no children and I am lonesome and heartbroken. You may publish my letter and see if there isn't some one to love me.

"I am no jealous girl, but true blue to one who is true to me. I want a husband to help cheer me up and to love me and be true to me. I can do any kind of housework. I have a good education, but not in music. This is a description of myself: Five feet five inches tall; dark brown hair; brown eyes and fair complexion; weight 145 pounds.

Country Reared

"I am a christian girl, born and reared in the country, but I am staying in town just now. I was intending to work and help my husband. But he didn't want me to go to church. So one Sunday morning while I was at church he packed his clothes and left. But I never intend to hunt for him, because he isn't good enough to do what is right.

"I never will leave my church to sin. My intentions were to make a christian man out of him.

"I am very fond of work and I am willing to do all I can for any man who is ready to 'settle down' and go to church with me. I'll live where he does. I will stay with him here and work and help him to save. I am very economical. I wouldn't want a man over 35 years old. I will take one younger than that, 21, 25 or 28, anywhere from these ages to 35. I do not want a flirt, drunkard, smoker, or chewer. I don't care if he smokes so much as I do for chewing tobacco. Would like a photograph of the man. My parents are not living."

She Fills Requirements.

"Will you do an act of charity," writes Mrs. F. H., "and put me in communication with the gentleman who wrote for a wife, as I fill all the requirements and am a lonely widow? I have brown hair and eyes. I can furnish the best of references."

"I am so interested in your work and the social service bureau," Mrs. L. A. J. S. says, "and I want you to help me. I am a widow, all alone, 39 years old, but do not look it, as I have retained my girlish figure and looks. I am a good christian woman and I am sure there is somewhere in this world a good christian man just as much alone as I am. But how are we lone women going to meet such men?

"I always wanted to be a good wife and mother and home maker, but I have had reverses. There is nothing about the keeping of a house that I don't know."

From a member of the Combined Extension Stepladder and Window Jack company, Philadelphia, Pa., comes this: "Will you kindly place me in communication with young ladies who have requested husbands?"

GETS WIFE BY ADVERTISING

Virginia Man Marries Indiana Woman After Courtship by Mail

Sullivan, Ind., Dec. 27.—Thomas Bond Buchanan, age forty-five, a wealthy farmer, of Petersburg, Va., advertised for a wife, and he found one at Hymera, Ind. After a few months of courtship by mail he came to Hymera to see his sweetheart. Each was pleased with the other's manner and appearance, and they were married by Justice Caleb H. Lester, of this city. The bride was Jennie Stewart, age forty-three, of Hymera.

One of the successful Christmas entertainments Saturday evening was that of the Turnverein Vorwaerts, which was enjoyed by a large crowd at the society's hall. There was an elaborate Christmas tree, and a total of eighty-six children were remembered. A musical concert and gymnastic program provided the entertainment.

COURT IS WITHOUT POWER.

Judge Cole Refuses to Remove Executor of Dykeman Estate.

Logansport, Ind., Dec. 27.—Judge Cole, of Peru, in deciding the petition for the removal of A. S. Jenkins, as executor of the estate of D. D. Dykeman, held that he did not have jurisdiction. He held that a total of $6,895.73 should be charged against the executor. The estate is valued at $250,000 and a part of it is to go toward the building of a memorial hospital for the city, in memory of Judge Dykeman's wife.

Dr. John J. Ogle will leave soon for Florida to spend the remainder of the winter in the south.

NINETY NEEDY HAVE FEAST.

Were Guests of Anthony Hotel at a Christmas Dinner.

Ninety needy Fort Wayne people enjoyed a Christmas feast as the guests of the Anthony hotel management Saturday afternoon in conformity with the annual custom of Manager Keenan. The cafe was turned over to the poor for the event, and here they enjoyed the same tempting menu as that served to the regular guests in the main diningroom.

NEARING PETROLEUM VEIN.

Drillers at Woodburn Will Soon Know Results.

Drilling of the initial well in the Allen county oil field near Woodburn has progressed to a point where it is expected that the present week will develop whether there is to be a rich find of oil there or not. The well is now at a depth of something like 800 feet.

J. E. BEAHLER HEADS IT.

Chosen President of New County Organization of Odd Fellows.

J. E. Beahler has been chosen president of the new association of Odd Fellows and Rebekah lodges in Allen county, with Frank Cunnison as vice-president, Mrs. C. Parry, secretary, and Mrs. Bert Ault as treasurer.

NOTICE.

The annual election of the Hamilton National Bank, of Fort Wayne, will take place at the office of said bank on Tuesday, January 11th, 1916, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 3 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing directors to serve during the ensuing year, and amending article three of the Articles of Association to read as follows: "The Directors shall consist of not less than seven or more than eleven stockholders." F. H. POOLE, Cashier.

Dec 11-26t

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Every Boy's Knicker Suit In the Store

That Sold Up To and Including $5.00

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OVER 500 FOR YOUR CHOOSING

All sizes for all boys from 5 to 17 years—all models—all new—all patterns—two pairs of full lined knicker pants with each suit. $3.50, $4.00 and $5.00 values.

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Your unrestricted choice of entire stock "with the exception of work shirts, overalls and collars" at 10 Per Cent. Discount

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The Troubles of a Married Man

(SOME GUYS ARE BOOBS, AREN'T THEY?)

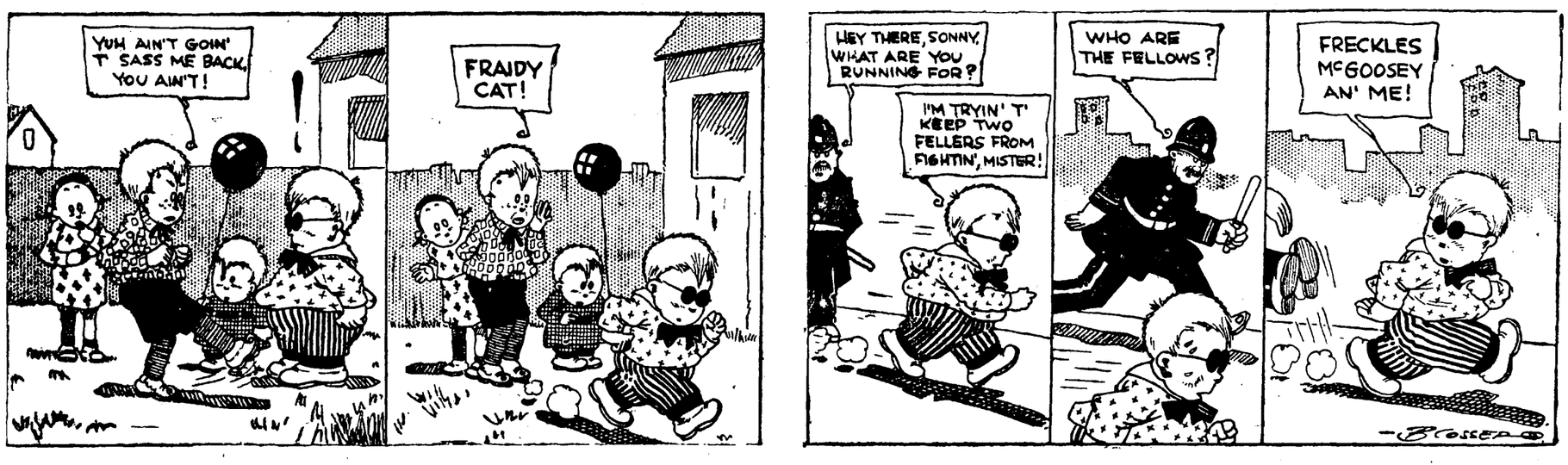
By Allman

HERE COMES FRANK BLAKE
AND HE OWES ME TEN BUCKS TOO
TO HIM-SELF
HELLO THERE TOM— I'LL PAY YOU THAT TEN I BORROWED LAST WEEK —
LET IT GO UNTIL TOMORROW
HOW DO YOU DO MR. BLAKE
WELL TOM, IF YOU DON'T WANT IT, PERHAPS MRS. DUFF WILL TAKE IT?
ALL RIGHT THANKS
I THINK MR. BLAKE IS SUCH A PERFECT GENTLEMAN
WELL, OF ALL THE DARN FOOLS IN THE WORLD, THAT GUY IS THE WORST!

Freckles and His Friends

(ONE WAY OF BEING "TOO PROUD TO FIGHT!")

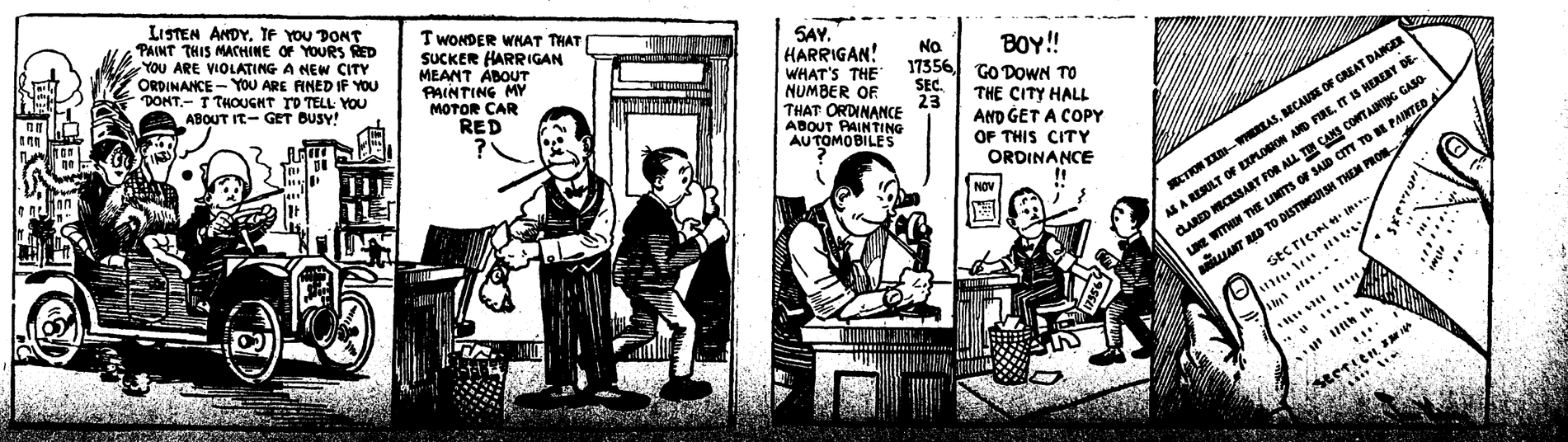
By Blosser


YUH AIN'T GOIN' T' SASS ME BACK, YOU AIN'T!
FRAIDY CAT!
HEY THERE, SONNY, WHAT ARE YOU RUNNING FOR?
I'M TRYIN' T' KEEP TWO FELLERS FROM FIGHTIN', MISTER!
WHO ARE THE FELLOWS?
FRECKLES McGOOSEY AN' ME!

Andy the Ad Man

(BET HARRIGAN WOULDN'T SAY THIS TO ANDY 'S FACE!)

By Wilson


LISTEN ANDY. IF YOU DON'T PAINT THIS MACHINE OF YOURS RED YOU ARE VIOLATING A NEW CITY ORDINANCE— YOU ARE FINED IF YOU DON'T.— I THOUGHT I'D TELL YOU ABOUT IT— GET BUSY!
I WONDER WHAT THAT SUCKER HARRIGAN MEANT ABOUT PAINTING MY MOTOR CAR RED ?
SAY, HARRIGAN! WHAT'S THE NUMBER OF THAT ORDINANCE ABOUT PAINTING AUTOMOBILES ?
No. 17356, SEC. 23
BOY!! GO DOWN TO THE CITY HALL AND GET A COPY OF THIS CITY ORDINANCE !!
NOV
SECTION XXIII— WHEREAS, BECAUSE OF GREAT DANGER AS A RESULT OF EXPLOSION AND FIRE, IT IS HEREBY DECLARED NECESSARY FOR ALL TIN CANS CONTAINING GASOLINE WITHIN THE LIMITS OF SAID CITY TO BE PAINTED A BRILLIANT RED TO DISTINGUISH THEM FROM—
SECTION

BE PATIENT WITH EVERY ONE, BUT ABOVE ALL WITH YOURSELF——————*Francis of Sales*

WEATHER FORECAST FOR FORT WAYNE AND VICINITY.

CLOUDY TONIGHT; TUESDAY, WARMER, THEN PROBABLY SNOW AND MUCH COLDER.

The Fort Wayne Sentinel

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PASSENGERS SENT TO DEATH WITHOUT WARNING

80 ARE DEAD, SAYS LONDON

French Liner Ville de la Coitat Victim of Submarine Attack.

PARIS HAS JUST MADE FACT PUBLIC

Russians Win a Victory Over Insurgent Army in Persia.

Today's War News Given in Summary

Petrograd reports a victory for the Russians in Persia against a well armed force that included several thousand Persian insurgent gendarmes. The insurgent army fled after it had suffered heavy losses, it is declared.

On the Riga-Dvinsk front in Russia the Germans have resumed their activity, according to Petrograd, but without any gain of ground being recorded. Gas was employed in some of the German attacks, the Russian report states.

Berlin declares that nothing worth reporting has occurred on the eastern front. On the front in France neither Berlin nor Paris reports operations of note, the activity being confined to artillery play and mine explosions.

Further victories for the Montenegrians, who are continuing the offensive, reported by their war office. They have taken several villages from the Austrians and inflicted heavy losses, their statement asserts.

Gen. Castelneau, chief of the French general staff, who is in Athens, declared in an interview that it would be impossible for the allied forces to be ousted from Saloniki, where he had spent several days examining the ground. He said the position provided most favorable opportunities for offensive and defensive action.

Two classes of Greek troops have been disbanded, according to a news agency dispatch from Athens.

Apparently submarines have again been active in British waters or nearby. The sinking of three steamers was reported today, one of them a vessel of more than 4,000 tons, the Ministre Bernaert, a Belgian owned craft, last reported at London. Two boat loads of the crew from this steamer are missing.

BULLETIN.

London, Dec. 27.—(6:05 p. m.)—Eighty of the passengers and crew of the Ville de la Ciotat lost their lives. The remainder of the persons on board were saved.

BULLETIN.

Washington, Dec. 27.—Seventy-nine persons were drowned in the destruction of the French liner Ville de la Ciotat, the American consul at Malta reported today to the state department. No Americans were aboard. The ship, he reports, was torpedoed without warning at 10:15 o'clock on Dec. 24 and sank in fifteen minutes.

BULLETIN.

New York, Dec. 27.—The Messageries Maritimes, the line owning the steamship Ville de la Ciotat, sunk in the Mediterranean by a submarine, is represented in the United States by the International Sleeping Car company. Representatives of the line here said that they had not been advised of the sinking of the ship up to a late hour today. So far as is known here no Americans were among the passengers.

Paris, Dec. 27.—(5:35 p. m.)—The French steamer Ville de la Ciotat with passengers on board was torpedoed without warning and sunk in the Mediterranean by a submarine on Dec. 24, the ministry of marine announced today. Most of the passengers and members of the crew have been rescued.

The statement follows: "The steamer Ville de la Ciotat was torpedoed and sunk on the 24th in the Mediterranean by an enemy submarine without warning.

"A majority of the passengers and crew were picked up by an English steamer. Details have not been received."

The Ville de la Ciotat was one of the largest of the steamers sunk recently in the Mediterranean. Her gross tonnage was 6,378. She was 487 feet long and 50 feet beam. She was built at La Ciotat, France, in 1892, and was owned by the Messageries Maritimes of

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GIRL DISAPPEARS ON WAY HOME FROM WEST

Miss Vera Easthrom, of Indianapolis, is Strangely Missing.

Indianapolis, Dec. 27.—Miss Vera O. Easthrom, 18 years old, who was on her way from San Diego, Cal., to the home of her parents, John E. Easthrom, 520 East New York street, and was due here Thursday night, has failed to arrive. A trunk containing her clothing and Christmas presents for members of the family arrived safely and a letter bearing her trunk checks, which was sent by her sister, Mrs. August Dahm, who lives at San Diego, arrived on time. The police have been asked to search for the missing girl.

Miss Easthrom went to San Diego fifteen months ago, but had decided to return to the home of her parents. While in California she had been employed in stores and was one of the twenty-five young women selected by Mayor E. M. Clapp as the most beautiful that attended the San Diego fair.

According to the letter received from Mrs. Dahm, Miss Easthrom had started on her journey without the trunk checks. The letter was directed to Miss Easthrom. Her parents are at a loss to account for her failure to appear on time and fear she may have become ill while on a train and was removed to a hospital. This is the only explanation they can offer for her disappearance. They say she should have been here not later than Friday morning. They say they suppose she carried a suitcase but do not believe she had sufficient money to stop off at any of the cities she passed through while on her way home.

GET-RICH-QUICK MAN FINDS IT HARDER NOW

Washington, D. C., Dec. 27.—Honest advertising campaigns undertaken by business organizations, publishers and advertising men in co-operation with the postoffice department, are sounding the knell of "get rich quick" and other fraudulent enterprises, according to the annual report of the solicitor of the department, made public today.

"It is clear," says the solicitor, W. H. Lamar, "that the strict enforcement of the law is having a deterrent effect upon many promoters who hitherto have relied for a livelihood on the conduct of schemes to defraud through the mails."

The decay of the once thriving industry, the report continues, has been brought about not only by the postoffice department, but by the newspaper and magazine publishers, advertising organization and other agencies which have co-operated with the federal authorities and made the fraudulent schemes dangerous and unprofitable.

PRINCE VON BUELOW RETURNS TO LUCERNE

Berne, Switzerland, Dec. 27.—Prince von Buelow, former German chancellor, has returned to Lucerne. He has resumed his quiet life at a hotel there. Recent reports that he has a large staff of secretaries are incorrect.

The presence of Prince von Buelow in Switzerland since October has given rise to many reports that he was working for peace on behalf of the German government, although these statements have been denied categorically by the prince. A London dispatch of Saturday said he had departed from Switzerland for Germany.

WHY MANY BABIES DIE.

Mothers Forced to Work Outside the Home, Says Federal Report.

Washington, Dec. 27.—The death rate in the United States among babies of mothers who work outside their homes far exceeds the infant mortality where the mother is not so employed. This is brought out in the annual report today of the federal children's bureau which is conducting an inquiry into the social and economic cases of babies deaths. The report shows an average infant death rate of 134 of every 1,000 babies in a steel-making and coal mining town as against a rate of 84 out of every 1,000 in a residential suburb.

WITH FORD RETURNING BRYAN CANCELS TRIP.

New York, Dec. 27.—Reports that Wm. Jennings Bryan had contemplated joining Henry Ford in Europe were confirmed today; but because Mr. Ford himself is returning to this country Mr. Bryan will not go to Europe. It was learned here that he had booked passage for himself and Mrs. Bryan on the steamship Rotterdam sailing tomorrow. But today he telegraphed that because of Mr. Ford's return he (Bryan) had indefinitely postponed his trip.

FORT WAYNE STILL IN GRIP OF SNOW STRUGGLES TO FREE ITSELF.

Scenes like the one here reproduced were everywhere in the business district Monday, where hundreds of men and scores of horses were employed in clearing the streets of the high-banked snow. However, with the depth of the snow covering increasing hourly, there was likelihood of more trouble before another day.

NO INDICATION OF FOUL PLAY IS FOUND

Henry Gick Died of Apoplexy Caused by Excessive Drink.

Investigations by Coroner E. H. Kruse and Police Lieutenant Harry Grimme have failed to discover any indication that foul play had anything to do with the death of Henry Gick, aged 54, who was found dead and badly decomposed in his garret kennel at 451 Holman street, about noon, Sunday. The coroner's examination disclosed that death had been due to apoplexy, probably caused by excessive drink. The body was lying across the bed and was in a shocking condition. So far as can be learned Gick, who was employed as a laborer by the Moellering Construction company, was last seen alive on Thursday. It is thought probable that he went to his room some time Friday and there died alone. He had been missed about the house, but his absence caused no anxiety, owing to his habits. It was on Sunday, when the odor coming from his room caused an investigation, that the body was found.

The advanced state of decomposition led the coroner and undertaker to believe that the man must have been dead much longer than two days and evidences that blood had been washed from the floor of his room at first aroused suspicion that violence might have been the factor in the man's death. Nothing to support such a theory has been found. The body was removed to the Schone & Ankenbruck morgue, where Coroner Kruse made an examination and pronounced death due to apoplexy.

Gick was born in Adams township, in 1861, but had been a laborer in this city for many years. His father, two brothers—George and John Gick—and three sisters, Mrs. Mary Wagner, Mrs. Gus Nahrwald and Mrs. Minnie Hoffman, survive him.

DAILEY CLEANS UP DOCKET.

Bluffton Man Enjoying Few Remaining Days in Office.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 27.—Frank C. Dailey, retiring United States district attorney, is thoroughly enjoying the few remaining days in office. Mr. Dailey becomes a member of the law firm of Miller, Shirley, Miller and Thompson on Jan. 1, and is to be succeeded by L. Ert Slack. The federal court calendar shows that several cases are pending and it is Mr. Dailey's wish to turn over the office to Mr. Slack with a clean slate, leaving only the criminal cases which Judge Anderson will begin hearing on Jan. 4.

WAS MOTHER OF MRS. CLEVELAND

Mrs. Emma Folsom Perrine Passes Away in New York.

New York, Dec. 27.—The death of Mrs. Emma Folsom Perrine, mother of Mrs. Francis Folsom-Preston, who was Mrs. Grover Cleveland, was announced here today by George F. Parker, a close friend of the family. Mrs. Perrine was 76 years old. Her death occurred late last night at the home of Mrs. Preston. After the death of her first husband, Oscar Folsom, who was a law partner of Grover Cleveland, Mrs. Perrine spent much of her time with her daughter. Mrs. Perrine lived in Buffalo for a number of years.

SMITH'S NAME ON BALLOT.

Lansing, Mich., Dec. 27.—Petitions to place the name of United States Senator William Alden Smith, of Grand Rapids, on the primary ballots for president, were filed today

LINER GIVEN NO WARNING

First American Consul in Report on Sinking of Yasaka Maru.

MAKE REPLY TO LANSING REQUEST

In View of German Promise Attack Was Probably Made by Austrians.

Washington, Dec. 27.—American Consul Bristol at Port Said, cabled today that no warning was given the Japanese liner Yasaka Maru, before she was torpedoed and sunk in the Mediterranean last Tuesday by a submarine. The liner, he added, made no attempt to escape.

The consul's dispatch, which came in response to Secretary Lansing's call for reports on the disaster, was the first official information on the subject. Today reports said the submarine was not seen until after the liner had been torpedoed and then only her periscope was visible. The ship sank in 49 minutes and the survivors were picked up by a French cruiser and landed at Port Said, from where the news of the sinking of the vessel came last week.

Renewed efforts will be made to determine the nationality of the submarine and instructions have been sent out by the state department. If it can gather information necessary it is prepared to include the incident with the protest against the sinking of the Ancona.

Was Probably Austrian.

As Germany has already given assurances that her submarine commanders were under instructions not to attack liners without warning, there was a disposition to believe the attacking boat was an Austrian. If that assumption proves true it is feared the situation over the sinking of the Italian liner Ancona will be further complicated, and diplomatic correspondence with Austria will be broadened to take in the general subject of attack without warning, as it did in the last stages of the negotiations with Germany.

Unofficial reports of favorable reply from the Vienna foreign office to the last Ancona note have not served to alter the attitude of the state department and there are direct indications that nothing but meeting the demands of the United States will fully leave diplomatic relations between the two countries unimpaired.

The word that "the reply will be guided by the concern of the good relations" between the two countries, officials take it, means that Austria-Hungary probably expects more correspondence upon the subject. The United States is disinclined to enter into any such negotiations.

Should it develop that an Austrian submarine torpedoed the Yasaka Maru without warning the Vienna foreign office will be asked to disavow the act and give assurance to govern further conduct of her submarine warfare. As was done in the correspondence with Germany, the United States will hold to the position that if submarines failed to give warning their commanders cannot be sure that American life will not be placed in danger.

JAPAN HEARS SAME STORY.

Tokio, Japan, Dec. 27.—Detailed advices received here today from Port Said concerning the sinking of the Ya-

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MILROY GIVEN CLEAR TITLE TO MAYORALTY

Toledo Charter Adopted by Popular Vote Upheld by Courts.

Toledo, Ohio, Dec. 27.—Mayor-elect Charles Milroy's title to the office of mayor of Toledo was perfected today. The popular vote by which he was elected was fully confirmed by the unanimous decision of common pleas judges in the election contest instituted in the name of Dr. C. W. McGuire.

The judges sustained the Toledo charter as adopted by the popular vote, declared second choice preferential voting legal and for the first time in Ohio held that the home rule amendment of the constitution confers on the municipalities full control of the methods of nominating and electing municipal officers.

TEXAS & PACIFIC TO OPPOSE A RECEIVER

Dallas, Tex., Dec. 27.—Receivership for the Texas and Pacific railway company was asked in a petition filed here today by the Bankers Trust company of New York, through their local attorneys. Default in payment of interest on bonds is alleged. Hearing was set for Jan. 13.

Attorneys for the railroad served notice that they would contest the receivership. The petition, which included the New Orleans Railway company, a Texas & Pacific property, alleges default on interest and principal of $14,000,000 second mortgage bonds, issued originally in 1878 for $25,000,000 and since reduced. George J. Gould is chairman of the Texas and Pacific which operates mainly in Louisiana, Texas and Arkansas.

The Texas and Pacific operates under federal charter. The road was constructed in the 70's. Its main line extends from New Orleans to El Paso. Officials of the road here said the filing of the suit was a complete surprise to them.

GIFTS TO STIMULATE PRACTICE IN MILITIA

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 27.—Two gifts to stimulate practice in the militia were announced by Adjutant General Stotesbury today. Robert Glendenning, of New York, has presented to the national guard the balloon l'Eoureil, which won the Pittsfield balloon race in 1914, and Allen R. Hawley, president of the Aero club of America, has turned over to the state $2,500, half of the fund contributed by an unknown donor to be divided between Massachusetts and New York for military aviation purposes. The balloon l'Eoureil has a gas capacity of 38,000 cubic feet and carries three passengers. It is to be employed as a captive craft for aerial observation during military maneuvers.

BOY-ED LEAVES TOMORROW.

Recalled German Attache Reserves State Room on Rotterdam.

New York, Dec. 27.—Captain K. Boy-Ed, the recalled German naval attache, will leave New York on the steamship Rotterdam tomorrow. He reserved his state room today.

MRS. BLAZER IS IN SERIOUS CONDITION

Victim of Collision of a Jitney and City Car Has Operation.

Mrs. Lena Blazer, 1126 Polk street, who suffered a fracture of the skull and other injuries, Christmas eve, when the jitney bus in which she was a passenger was struck by a city street car at Huffman and Sherman streets, is reported to be still in a serious condition at St. Joseph hospital and an operation was performed Monday by Dr. J. Frank Dinnen, police surgeon, in the hope of giving her relief. Dr. Dinnen says the woman is not out of danger.

Pending the outcome of her injuries the case of assault and battery against Floyd Lutman, motorman of the street car, was continued in the city court Monday morning until Wednesday. Lutman's bond of $300, furnished by the traction company, was continued and he is at liberty. It is probable that on Wednesday Mrs. Blazer's condition will indicate a time to which the case may be definitely continued for hearing.

Lutman declares that he was not to blame because just after a grocer's delivery wagon had passed the jitney the latter turned directly onto the track in front of the car. Oscar Shust, 1710 Wells street, driver of the jitney, and others assert that the street car was going at terrific speed and that after the first crash again struck the jitney and hurled it to the curb. Chief of Police Charles Lenz and Deputy Prosecutor Stephan A. Callahan are making a thorough investigation.

Mrs. Rosa Shaw, mother-in-law of Mrs. Blazer and residing with her, was in the jitney at the time of the accident and was injured, but much less seriously than Mrs. Blazer.

MUCH COLDER SAYS THE WEATHER MAN

That the snowfall that continued during the greater part of the day Monday has come to "set a spell" is the prediction of the United States weather bureau, which makes the forecast that it will grow much colder Monday night.

There is no immediate prospect of a turn to rain. The snowfall Monday was light in character, but persistent, and was carried by a northwest wind.

RENOUNCES HIS CLAIMS.

Gounaris Willing to Support Minority of Skouloudis in Greece.

Berlin, Dec. 27.—M. Gounaris, whose party won the recent election in Greece, has renounced his claims to the premiership, the Overseas News agency says. An Athens dispatch received by the news agency says that M. Gounaris made a report to King Constantine of the election and added as the leader of the majority party he was willing to support the minority of Premier Skouloudis. Owing to politic conditions in Greece he believed a change in government to be not only unnecessary, but unwise. It is said the king agreed with his suggestions.

SHOULD DEVELOP NEW FIELD.

Gen. Crozier Would Free Army From Dependence for Nitrates.

Washington, Dec. 27.—To free the United States army from dependence for nitrates for explosives, Brig. Gen. Crozier, chief of the ordnance, in his annual report, says the government, if necessary, should develop the electrical processes of taking nitrogen from the air. The country now is dependent for nitrates upon the Chilean fields, which might be cut off in time of war.

Study of lessons of the European war, the report says, has shown the necessity of increasing the range of heavy and light guns and of providing more machine guns.

Principal Events in Ft. Wayne This Week

MONDAY.

Annual business meeting and election of officers by Mizpah temple, Ancient Arabic Order of Nobles of the Mystic Shrine.

Summit City lodge, No. 399, Ancient Order United Workmen will elect officers.

TUESDAY.

Salvation Army annual treat to poor children.

WEDNESDAY.

Annual banquet of the Old Aqueduct club at Elks' temple.

THURSDAY.

Annual corn show at Lincoln school under auspices of Washington Township Farmers' club.

FRIDAY.

New Year's eve. Special events at all the principal hotels and watch parties galore.

SATURDAY.

First day of 1916.

Moose lodge's farewell party.

MR. MARSHALL GREETS THEM

Vice President Extends a Welcome to Pan-American Delegates.

PROCLAIMS LOFTY PURPOSE OF U. S.

First to Resent Any Unwarranted Interference, He Declares.

Washington, Dec. 27.—Vice President Marshall in the absence of President Wilson today welcomed the delegates of the South and Central American republics at the opening session of the Pan-American congress.

In his address he declared the ideal of pan-Americanism should be to prevent unjust interference in the affairs of American nations and that the United States would be the first to resent such interference with any American country.

Pan-Americanism practically identical with that advocated by President Wilson in his message to congress was supported today by the speakers at the inaugural session of the second pan-American scientific congress. A composite address of the 22 speeches made would leave the impression of general endorsement of the idea. Secretary of State Lansing in his capacity as an officer of the United States, which invited the congress to meet here and as presiding officer of the governing board of the pan-American union discussed pan-Americanism as an "international policy of the Americas" and the Monroe doctrines a "national policy" pointing out that the two were not inharmonious.

Chilean Makes Response.

Eduardo Suarez, ambassador of Chile, president of the congress, replied, expressing in general the attitude of Latin-America, and heading the list of nineteen chairmen of delegations, Ernesto Quesada, of Buenos Ayres, made the first of the five minute replies. The first general session took place in Memorial Continental hall, national headquarters of the Daughters of the Revolution. Men and women from every capital of South and Central America, from scores of other Latin-American cities, and from all parts of the United States were present. They included the official delegates, guests of the Carnegie endowment and men and women famous for scientific, literary and educational work, who had come without official standing. Four languages were used, though the Portuguese, of Brazil, and French, of Haiti, were almost unheard in the volume of Spanish of the Latin-American countries and the English that marked the Americans. Interpreters provided by the state department were used to reduce the whole to a common tongue.

A plan to bring into closer intellectual union the countries represented at the pan-American congress was proposed by Ernesto Quesada, chairman of the Argentine delegation. He suggested in his response to the address of welcome that three subsidiary unions be formed, one to confederate all the universities of the Americas, the second to create a bibliograph union and the third an archaeological union. His plan for a confederation of universities provides for the interchange of students and professors.

Wilson Sends Greetings.

The following telegram from President Wilson to Director General John H. Barrett, of the Pan-American union, was received:

"Please present my warmest greetings to delegates to the Pan-American Scientific congress and extend to them, on my behalf, a most cordial welcome. It seems to be the happiest omen that the attendance should be so large and the interest in its proceedings so great. I hope that the greatest success will attend every activity of the congress and that the intimate course of thought which it produces will bring Americans still closer together throughout the continents, alike in sympathy and purposes."

WEALTH GOES TO COLLEGE.

Oakland City Institution Gets $60,000 by Cox Will.

Oakland City, Ind., Dec. 27.—The will of Dr. D. A. Cox, of Howell, who died recently, leaves a fortune of $60,000 to Oakland City college. The money is to be applied to the endowment. The will was filed for probate at Evansville. Dr. Cox was president of the college's board of trustees. A life interest in the estate is given the widow.

MEANS ADVANCE FOR WORKMEN.

Reading Iron Company Announces a Readjustment of Wages.

Reading, Pa., Dec. 27.—The Reading Iron company today announced a readjustment of wages in all departments which will mean an advance of from 5 to 6 per cent. All the plants of the company are working full time.

QUIET AFTERMATH AROUND THE COURTS

Mills of Justice Enjoy a Quiet Hour Following Christmas.

The usual quiet aftermath that trails Christmas was emphatically noticeable about the Allen county court house Manday. Of new litigation there was a complete dearth and not much was doing with that pending. Two divorces were granted—one each in the superior and circuit courts—and some judgments were rendered in minor cases. Otherwise the situation was serene and full of the spirit of peace on earth.

Notes of the Courts

In the superior court, Monday, Mary Lindner dismissed her complaint for divorce against Andrew Lindner and entered a general denial to her husband's cross-complaint. The defendant was granted a divorce and the plaintiff was given $200 allimony. The husband charged that his wife wanted to live in a state beyond his means and had sought to get his property. They had been married but a little while when they separated.

The Woodburn Banking company has brought suit in the circuit court against Jesse E. Brown and Henry F. Nietert, to collect $78 on a note. W. N. Ballou appears for the plaintiff.

The suit of Jefferson Meyers vs. J. J. Martin has been dismissed from the superior court.

In the circuit court, in the case of Edward A. McConnell, guardian, vs the German-American Trust company, for transfer of funds, the court found that the plaintiff was entitled to $448.87 and ordered that sum less the costs, be turned over to the clerk of the court.

LICENSED TO WED

Ferber L. E. Ulmer, bookkeeper, and June L. Ryason.

Leonard A. Lesh, seaman, and Ada M. Seth.

Frank Scott, laborer, and Clara J. Clay.

LINER GIVEN NO WARNING

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saka Maru corroborate previous statements that the ship was torpedoed without warning. It is said she was attacked at 2:35 p. m. by a submarine whose presence had not been observed. No flag was visible.

Shortly after the torpedo was discharged two periscopes, one long and one short, appeared above the water within 400 feet of the steamship. They moved to a position off the stern, the Port Said advices relate as though ready to discharge a second torpedo if necessary.

After the Yasaka Maru sank a conning tower was visible for a brief time at a point about a mile away.

The report describes the manner in which all on board the steamship entered the boats safely, this having been accomplished within ten minutes of the time the torpedo was discharged. The captain caused the boats to be tied together. Sails were hoisted and in accordance with a plan arranged previously by wireless, a southeasterly course was taken. This was held until midnight, when the French gunboat which rescued the passengers and crew was met. During the evening the periscope of the submarine was not visible. The passengers praised the captain and crew for their coolness. There was no sign of panic throughout the long ordeal.

According to a statement made to the diet by the finance minister there was on board the Yasaka Maru gold to the value of 1,000,000 yen ($500,000).

80 ARE DEAD, SAYS LONDON

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Marseilles. She was last reported on her arrival at Saigon, Indo-China, Dec. 13, on a voyage from Yokohama to Marseilles.

The Montenegrins are continuing their offensive and have gained considerable territory in the Sanjak, taking numerous villages and inflicting large losses upon the Austrians according to a statement given out by the Montenegrin minister here today.

The following statement was issued this afternoon at the war office: "There were no events of importance last night except in Lorraine where our artillery bombarded the positions of the enemy in the vicinity of Bioncourt and Grenecre, southwest of Chateau-Salins."

RUSSIANS ROUTE PERSIANS.

Petrograd Says Big Insurgent Army is Put to Flight.

Petrograd, Dec. 27.—The defeat by Russian troops in Persia of a formidable force, among which were several thousand Persian insurrectionists, is reported today by general headquarters. It is declared that the opposing army suffered heavily and was badly broken up under the Russian attack.

The Germans have been active along the Riga-Dvinsk front according to the statement, using gas in some of their attacks, but were repulsed in all instances.

SUBMARINES AGAIN ACTIVE.

British Vessels Once More Suffer from German Attacks.

London, Dec. 27.—(4 p. m.)—The British steamer Hadley, 1,777 tons gross, has been sunk. The British steamer Embla, 1,127 tons, has been beached at the mouth of the Thames, afire forward. The crews of both vessels were rescued.

Sinking of the Belgian steamer Ministre Bernaert is announced. The crew left the steamer in boats, two of which are missing. The British steamer Collingham, of 513 tons, has been sunk. The crew was saved.

Conflicting reports continue to reach London from the scene of the neat eastern campaigns. Statements from several sources make it appear the Teutonic allies are preparing steadily for an offensive movement in conjunction with the Bulgarians and Turks. Other advices, however, are that the Bulgarians fear to attack, lest they be caught between two fires in the strip between Saloniki-Dorian to the Saloniki-Gievgeli railroads.

The central powers are still negotiating with Greece. An interview with Premier Skouloudis forecasts failure of the efforts to prevent an invasion of Grecian territory. It is intimated that if an invasion is undertaken the Athens government will devote its efforts toward obtaining guarantees of the evacuation of Greek territory following the completion of military operations. Along the western front Paris reports successful artillery actions in the Champagne districts, Wouvre and Vosges. Berlin says operations are restricted by incessant rain.

The British public is looking forward with keen interest to today's cabinet meeting. It is expected the cabinet will consider the report of the Earl of Derby in regard to his enlistment plan.

ALLIES ARE CONFIDENT.

Cannot Be Driven From Saloniki, Says Gen. Castelneau.

Athens, Dec. 27.—"With our batteries of heavy artillery and the men behind them it is impossible to oust the allied forces from Saloniki," said Gen. Castelneau, of the French staff, in a statement today to the Associated Press. Gen. Castelneau gave the interview after being received by King Constantine. Gen. Castelneau's statement was submitted to French Minister Guilinen and approved by him.

"The situation at Saloniki today is most excellent," the general continued. "I must say I have rarely seen an emplacement which lends itself better to defense. It also provides the most favorable conditions for offensive operations."

The general was asked whether the allies contemplate an offensive movement in the spring.

"Spring will tell," he replied. "It is impossible to discount the exigencies of the military situation so far ahead."

"What impression did you gain from your talk with the king?" the correspondent asked.

"I was deeply touched by the fact that his majesty, although in poor health, received me. He was most cordial. The Greeks have shown me every courtesy."

"And in France—General, how soon do you think the war will be finished?"

"That doesn't matter; the most important thing is that victory is certain sooner or later and every Frenchman is to go the whole way for a complete triumph. Whether in France or here there will be no weakening, for France is not only determined; France is sure."

Large crowds in which were many Greek soldiers gathered before the French legation and cheered Gen. Castelneau.

RUSSIANS ARE SUFFERING.

Army in Caucasus Badly Demoralized, Berlin Hears.

Berlin, Dec. 27.—"Reports from the Caucasus, received here from Constantinople, state that the Russian army is demoralized as a result of cold, hunger, cholera, typhoid and poor equipment," says the Overseas News Agency. "Poles in the Russian army whose homes are in districts occupied by the Germans are deserting or begging that they be sent home."

Only mining operations along the Franco-Belgian front are mentioned in today's official statement by German army headquarters. Quiet prevailed along the other fronts.

BRITISH REPEL TURK ASSAULT.

Delhi, Dec. 26.—(Via London, Dec. 27, 9 a. m.)—A vihorous Turkish assault against the British forces at Kut-el-Amara was driven back Saturday with heavy losses, according to an official report received from Gen. Townshend, the British commander.

The report says: "Yesterday the enemy launched a determined attack against a portion of positions which was repulsed with an enemy loss of from 600 to 800 killed and wounded. Our casualties were under 200."

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NEW CHAPLAIN COMES TO ST. JOSEPH HOSPITAL.

REV. JOSEPH HEITZ, C. PP. S.

Rev. Joseph Heitz, C. PP. S., the newly appointed chaplain of St. Joseph hospital, has arrived and assumed charge of his new duties. He came from Frank, Ohio, where he had been pastor of St. Marcus church for four years. Previous to that he had charge of St. John's Catholic church in Mercer county, Ohio.

WABASH ASKS REHEARING.

Wants Another Chance at Better Rates in Missouri.

Jefferson City, Mo., Dec. 27.—A motion for a rehearing of the application of the railroads for an increase in intrastate passenger and freight rates was filed with the Missouri public service commission today by the Wabash railroad. The order of the commission that the railroads issue interchangeable mileage is opposed as discriminatory. The recent order of the public service commission provided for one way passenger rates of 2½ cents a mile, round trip passenger fares of 2¾ cents and interchangeable and transforable mileage tickets at 2 cents a mile.

ANDREWS GOES TO NEW ORLEANS

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 27.—Tom Andrews, agent for the promoters of the bout between Jess Willard and Fred Fulton, slated for next March, left for New Orleans today, saying he would attempt to clear up the tangled situation resulting from rumored hitches in negotiations.

THE BIRTH RECORD

To Mr. and Mrs. Harry McLaughlin, 282 Bowser avenue—a girl.

To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur D. Kelker, 710 Madison street—a boy.

CONTAGIOUS DISEASE

Marciel Link, aged 8 years, and Wayne Link, aged 6 years, 1601 California avenue—scarlet fever.

BUILDING PERMITS

A. G. W. Curdes, 2-story frame residence, 2313 Webster street, $250.

Senator Stephen B. Fleming, his wife and two daughters, Geraldine and Josephine, arrived in Fort Wayne Sunday to spend the holidays.

IN THE CHURCHES

MEN'S BIBLE CLASS ELECTS.

Organization at St. John Reformed Holds First Annual Election.

The first annual election of officers of the Adult Men's Bible class of St. John Reformed church was held Sunday morning and officers for the coming year were named as follows: President, Christ Hossert; vice president, Fred Low; secretary, Stees Sponhauer, and treasurer, Henry Peters. Rev. J. Bosch was re-elected teacher.

The annual meeting of the congregation will be held next Saturday afternoon, New Year's day. Several members of the consistory will be elected.

The annual election and meeting of the officers and teachers of the Sunday school will be held Wednesday evening at the regular meeting of this body.

The Young Ladies' guild of the church will give a watch party for all the young people in the church Friday evening.

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Tell Life Stories.

Local Gideons had charge of the meeting held Sunday evening at Trinity M. E. church. E. H. Lane presided and was assisted by W. M. Plank, Charles C. W. Cross, John S. House, Albert Grant, W. A. Morris and A. P. Double, who all told of their conversions and various incidents which occured while they were on the road for their respective companies. James Cotton, of Buffalo, was to have been present to speak but an unavoidable delay made it impossible for him to reach Fort Wayne in time.

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Celebrate Christmas Wednesday.

St. Andrew's chapel, 2325 South Wayne avenue, will hold its Yule-tide observance Wednesday night beginning at 7:30 o'clock and will be in the nature of a family gathering. Extensive decorations have been carried out and a Christmas tree with a present for everyone will be displayed. Rev. E. W. Averill will be the principle speaker.

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Services at County Infirmary.

Rev. Fred Wambsganss, assistant pastor of Emmaus Lutheran church will conduct services at the Allen county infirmary, Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Gifts will also be distributed among the inmates and the mission choir of Emmaus church will furnish special music for the occasion.

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Mme. Schwimmer

She is now the target for much criticism as one of the leading members of the Ford peace pilgrimage and is even accused by Norwegian papers of being a paid agent of the Teutonic governments. She is said to be responsible for the Ford peace plan.

NOW EMERGING FROM GRIP OF THE STORM

New England Hard Hit by Bad Mixture of the Elements.

New York, Dec. 27.—Northern and eastern New England are slowly recovering today from the damage inflicted through yesterday's storm. A succession of rain, snow, lightning, sleet and thunder winding up with a gale that tore down wires and trees, unroofed houses and drove shipping ashore, caused widespread damage and many deaths and accidents.

Telegraphic communication in some sections was still interrupted today, owing to the leveling of telegraph poles by the wind. In a similar manner the signal system on the railways running north and northeast from New York were crippled.

Eight deaths in this city were directly or indirectly attributed to the storm. The wind here at one time attained a velocity of 90 miles an hour.

AT THE MAJESTIC.

Besiege Theater to See War in Movies —German War Pictures.

((From New York Press.)

A queue which reached from the Forty-fourth street theater west to eighth avenue, south to Forty-third street and fifty feet east in that thoroughfare at 10 o'clock last night, was awaiting admission to the theater to see the war pictures of the German and Austrian armies taken by Edwin F. Weigle, war correspondent.

The line began early in the morning. It was long when the theater opened at 11 o'clock, and at 2 o'clock thirty-five police reserves were called to preserve order. By night, forty-five patrolmen were on the job, with Captain Ormsby of the Forty-seventh street station in charge.

The plan was to give eight performances, from 11 o'clock in the morning until 11 o'clock at night, but F. Ziegfeld, jr., announced that he "would keep open all night if necessary" to take care of the patrons.

The pictures are stirring, carrying the spectator from camps at the outbreak of the war to the trenches, and finally showing the armies in action.

These pictures will be shown at the Majestic for three days, starting Monday night.

AT THE TEMPLE.

A GREAT MELODRAMA.

"No Mother to Guide Her" Pleases Theatergoers.

"No Mother to Guide Her" is having a great run at the Temple theater and will be played by the Temple Stock company throughout this week with matinee as well as evening performances daily. The play is one of the most popular melodramas ever presented and abounds with thrills. It was made famous by Lillian Mortimer and has always been welcomed by Fort Wayne theatergoers.

If you have ever seen Miss Mortimer in this play you will want to see little Miss Hamerick, the Temple favorite, in the part of Bunco. She has all the mannerisms of Miss Mortimer and has the audience laughing one minute and crying the next. Sure there is a villain and to Mr. Ford falls this thankless job. He plays his part well as is shown by the hisses which are heaped upon him by the excited gallery gods

The Temple Stock company is under new management. All of the old favorites have been retained and in addition to these there are several newcomers who have greatly strengthened the company.

AT KEITH PALACE

STUNNING STYLES SHOWN.

Menlo Moore's Beautiful Feature Act at the New Palace.

It's an open question whether the girls are more stunning than the gowns or whether the creations are more striking than the lovely young models displaying them at the New Palace, but the two big houses that witnessed the debut performances of the new bill voted the Menlo Moore Style Revue's combination of exquisite gowns and millinery and beautiful young girls one of the most fascinating offerings the House of Moore ever gave to vaudeville. George Phelps and Frances Keppler do several singing and dancing numbers during the course of the Revue that are quite up to the Menlo Moore standard. They are an engaging looking couple.

Hirschel Hindler's autobiography done in snatches from popular airs is a novel bit of a turn that warms his audiences. Lawrence and Hurl-Falls, the knockabout comedians, try to commit suicide a half dozen times in a sensational tumbling act, but have failed so far. The somersault roller chair trick will get 'em yet. In doing this trick the knockabout man clambers to the top of a high platform, perches himself on a chair fitted with rollers and worries his audience half crazy until he finally tumbles off, landing safely (so far, anyway) and skidding off the stage. Dainty Gladys Vance, the charming chit, who invented the mirror dress, is using this novelty in her closing number and it is a prime hit. She is at her best, however, in her own original conception of the way Eva Tanguay's song, "I Don't Care," should be sung. Bobbe and Dale are presenting a clever little idea in the skit, "It Happened in Paris."

On Friday, New Year's eve, there will be two performances at the New Palace, one at 7:30 and the other at 9 o'clock.

AT THE ORPHEUM.

GOLDEN GATE TRIO HERE

Famous Singing Troupe Opens Permanent Engagement at Orpheum

The Golden Gate Trio, one of the best known singing organizations that ever toured over the Keith vaudeville circuits, and which has been disbanded for the past year, have reunited and will appear as a permanent musical attraction at the Orpheum theater, beginning today.

The trio boasts three of the greatest harmony singers of the country, Samuel L. Jackson, Frederick Hughes and Henry Weber. All are highly trained vocalists, possessed of exceptional singing voices, and particularly skilled in harmony work. Their engagement at the Orpheum will, without a doubt, create a sensation among Fort Wayne music lovers.

The film attractions shown today include the delicious comedy romance, "Captivating Mary Carstairs," picturized from Henry Snyder Harrison's novel of that title and featuring the adorable Norma Talmadge. The third episode of that startling political serial, "Graft," will also be shown. Tomorrow will find Lionel Barrymore at the Orpheum in "The Yellow Streak."

SHE'S ONLY 24, BUT SHE'S MOTHER OF GIRL, 20, WHOM SHE ADOPTED.

Mrs. M. E. Taggart, holding her baby, and her adopted daughter.

It's unusual for a happy young wife of 24 to adopt a daughter of 20, but Mrs. Marshall E. Taggart, of Chicago, though she has a chubby boy of 2 years old, has taken a "daughter" of 20, under her maternal care.

Although it was not the stork but a newspaper ad. that brought this "great big baby" to the Taggart family, the young mother declares she has true motherly love for her grown-up daughter. "I was always lonesome when Mr. Taggart made business trips out of the city," says the mother of the 20-year-old daughter. "I wanted a chum. One can't hire a chum, so after thinking the matter over I decided to adopt a grown-up 'daughter.' I advertised in the newspapers and I got a jewel of a girl who will be my daughter and my chum."

AT THE JEFFERSON.

"ALOHA OE"

Hawaiian Love Romance at the Jefferson Is Notably Beautiful.

"Aloha Oe," is a Thomas Ince dramatic subject that is satisfying. It opens with a trial scene of the most dramatically thrilling sort. A young New York lawyer takes a sea voyage and is wrecked among the South Sea islands. Later, in one of the islands, he meets Kalaniweo, a native girl, who believes him to be the son of the god of the volcano. For a time he is happy with her, but later departs for home. There he discovers many changes His fiancee has married, he himself is thought dead and so he returns to the girl of the south. The picture is produced in a most spectacular manner. The court room scene has a wonderful effect; the storm at sea will exist a long time before it is equalled in realistic effect, and the eruption of the volcano is realistic enough to convince the most hypercritical. The other southern scenes are also nicely convincing, while the camera work is good throughout.

Wednesday and Thursday the second masterful offering of the gala week is Denman Thompson's "Old Homstead," produced on a lavish scale in keeping with this great American play, that has brought tears to the eyes and smiles to the lips of millions. You cannot afford to miss a single feature this week.

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PAINTER SAYS HE IS "FINE AS SILK"

James Hanley, Local Man, Gives Tanlac Credit for Improvement.

When residents of your own city, men and women you have known all your life, testify to the merits of any preparation, as James Hanley, 44 years old, a well known painter who lives at 608 East Lewis street did a few days ago, and scores of others have done recently, regarding Tanlac, the worth of that medicine should be proven. Mr. Hanley said:

"I suffered from catarrhal troubles. My stomach was affected with catarrh so that I did not properly digest what I ate, and catarrh of the nose and throat caused inflammation. My kidneys also were in bad condition so that I frequently suffered from severe pains in my back.

"I heard of Tanlac through the newspapers and decided to try it. After taking the medicine a short time the catarrh is entirely relieved and I have not felt better for years. In fact, I now feel as 'fine as silk.' Besides the relief from the catarrhal troubles, my kidneys also have been improved to such an extent that I do not suffer from the severe pains in my back now.

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NEWS OF FORT WAYNE'S NEIGHBORS

SHAD AND LOBSTERS SCARCE

Bureau of Fisheries Fears Depletion if Protection Is Not Given.

Washington, Dec. 27.—Shad and lobsters are disappearing rapidly from American waters, despite artificial propagation efforts, according to the annual report of the United States bureau of fisheries. Co-operation and aid by state fishery authorities is suggested as a remedy for threatened depletion.

Shad fishing in the Chesapeake basin last year was the poorest known, said the report. Hatcheries by the bureau are inactive through inability to obtain eggs, it added, and would remain so unless shad were protected on their way from the sea to spawning grounds.

The decline in the lobster industry, the report declared, was viewed with great uneasiness. More efficiency in artificial propagation was urged as necessary to arrest diminution.

MARRIED FIFTY YEARS.

Auburn, Ind., Dec. 27.—Fifty years ago Friday, December 24, Hiram H. Cupp led to the marriage altar, Miss Fannie McClellan. The wedding was solemnized at the farm home two miles east of Auburn on the now Tom Harner farm. One of the greatest joys that has come into the lives of these two people was the gathering at their home on South Cedar street of their family and friends in commemoration of their golden wedding anniversary, Friday. Mr. Cupp was born March 11, 1841, and his wife, Fannie McClellan-Cupp, was born February 4, 1847. In July, 1861 he enlisted in company E of the Eleventh Indiana, and went to the front. During the summer of 1862 he came home on a furlough and while here he attended a barn raising at the farm of the bride's father, John McClellan, now owned by Thomas Harner, east of Auburn, and it was there that he first met the lady who later became his wife and has been his close companion for more than fifty years.

PROFIT SHARING PAYMENT.

Huntington, Ind., Dec. 27.—The employes of the Caswell-Runyan company, the largest manufacturers of cedar chests in the world, were given a genuine Christmas surprise Friday at the closing hour when each man was handed an envelope in which was contained a letter setting out a profit sharing plan inaugurated by the company this year. The company will divide with its employes thousands of dollars as a reward for faithful service. The last year has been the busiest in the history of the company, the volume exceeding even the most optimistic estimate placed upon it earlier in the season. As a result of the faithful manner in which the employes assisted in turning out the enormous production the company decided to show in some way their appreciation of the co-operation of the employes.

DESCRIBES WAR HORRORS.

Hartford City, Ind., Dec. 27.—Mrs. Harry Fordney, of this city, has received word from her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lloyd, of North Sunderland, England, in which they state that Mrs. Lloyd is a member of the ambulance corps there which takes care of injured soldiers just back from the front. Mrs. Lloyd describes some awful scenes of suffering. A soldier's badge welded into a brooch is also sent in the letter. There are a number of Hartford City people who have relatives engaged in the war and for that reason news from the various fronts is of more than passing interest in this city.

PLANS FOR EISTEDDFOD.

Van Wert, O., Dec. 27.—Plans are nearing completion for the Eisteddfod which will be held in the First M. E. church in this city, Jan. 21. Gomer, Lima and Venedocia have already written, saying that they have choirs both in the mixed and male chorus. At the afternoon session there will be a singing contest between the eighth grades of those towns. The big event of the day will be in the evening when the male, ladies' and mixed chorus will compete for prizes. The Eisteddfod is under the direction of Prof. James H. Jones, instructor of music in the public schools.

TRAMP BALLPLAYER GUILTY.

Portland, Ind., Dec. 27.—Guilty of assault and battery with intent to commit homicide, was the verdict of the jury in the case of the state against George Siler, the tramp ball player who assaulted George Cull, Noble township farmer, November 18 last, cutting Cull on the face, hand and throat with a razor. Judge Denney sentenced Siler to the prison at Michigan City for an indeterminate term of two to fourteen years.

TEACHERS RESTORE "TREAT."

Hartford City, Ind., Dec. 27.—The township teachers "treated" this year. Last year the time-honored custom was abandoned by some of the teachers and a wail went up from all parts of the county. This year the old custom was readopted and on the closing day of the term for the township schools, the usual treat was given.

HOLIDAY ELOPERS WED.

Hillsdale, Mich., Dec. 27.—Emmitt R. Sidey, a barber, of Montpelier, Ohio, and Miss Stella B. Abshire, of Keystone, Ind., eloped to this city last Friday and were married at the court house by Justice C. M. Weaver.

NEW HAVEN NEWS.

New Haven, Ind., Dec. 27.—Miss Bertha Adams, a student of Indiana university at Bloomington, is home for the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bolyard and little son, of Indianapolis, are visiting relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sanders and daughter, of Roanoke, are spending several days with Will Schnitker and family and Lester Girardot and family.

Mrs. Edna Seida, of Chicago, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jacquay and family.

Miss Hilda Ashley, of Detroit, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ashley.

Frank Gabet, who has been working at Kendallville, is spending several days with his mother, Mrs. Joe Gabet.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Federspiel entertained the following at their home on Christmas day: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Federspiel and family, from Fort Wayne; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Federspiel and little son, Hartzell; Mr. and Mrs. George Federspiel and family, Mr. and Mrs. Albon Federspiel and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Welling.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Schnitker entertained the following at dinner Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. George Sanders, of Roanoke; Mrs. Hannah Sanders, Misses Hester Wolf and Helen Lindeman, of Fort Wayne.

Several of the members of the Woodmen lodge attended a banquet given by the Fort Wayne Woodmen on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. R. J. Blackwell and children, Richard and Georgianna, are spending the holidays with relatives at Macy, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mosier, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harrington and son, Ray, spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ginther, at Fort Wayne.

Mr. William Gerardot and son, Lawrence, of Detroit, are spending several days with the former's mother, Mrs. Susan Gerardot.

The funeral of Mr. August Humbert was held Friday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. August France. Rev. Powell, of the M. E. church, officiating. Interment was made in the I. O. O. F. cemetery.

The Monroeville basket ball team lost to the New Haven Floral team in a game here Thursday evening by a score of 18 and 39.

Miss Lulu Kern, of Marion, Ind., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Schuckman.

Mrs. E. J. Parrish, of Buffalo, N. Y., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Swap.

The Christmas entertainments given at the Protestant churches and Lutheran church were highly enjoyed by large audiences.

Mrs. Earl Schnitz, of Fort Wayne, spent Thursday with Mrs. W. E. Bowers.

Ed S. Tripner has gone to Harrisburg, where he will visit relatives for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Schnitker are issuing invitations to a reception they are giving Thursday evening in honor of their twentieth wedding anniversary.

Several from here attended the Stemler-Zink wedding at Gar Creek yesterday.

Mrs. Mary Cohogan, whose death occurred Saturday evening at her home in Fort Wayne, was a sister of Mrs. Lena Lupkin, of this place.

The New Haven Floral basket ball team played the Spencerville team at that place Saturday night. The score stood 26 and 21 in favor of Spencerville.

Glenn Grubb spent Christmas with relatives at Auburn.

MONROEVILLE NEWS.

Monroeville, Ind., Dec. 27.—Bert Mundorff and family, of Plymouth, Ind., are the guests of Thomas Taylor and family and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Geyer, of Fort Wayne, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Miller.

Albert Bowers, of New Haven, and John Bowers, of Fort Wayne, spent Friday with their father, Adam Bowers and wife.

Dr. C. L. Meyers and family spent Christmas with relatives at Minster, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Centlivre and daughter, Mae, Frank Centlivre and Miss Irene Miller, of Fort Wayne, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Piel at the D. E. Kauffman home Tuesday.

Castyle Zartman is spending the holiday vacation with relatives at Young America, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Ireland and Smith Nelson and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Dickerson, at Convoy, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Dressell spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives at Convoy.

Fred Schnab and family, of Fort Wayne, and C. W. Harris and family of Toledo, O., spent Sunday with Dr. D. E. Kauffman and family.

Mrs. H. M. Ankney and daughter, of Sturgis, Mich.; Mrs. Wm. Sunderland and children, of Spencerville, O., are here for the holidays with relatives.

J. Magner was at Decatur on business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Peckham are at Pearl Lake, Mich., the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Peckham.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Krick are at Anderson, Ind., the guests of Frank Heller and family.

Norman Geyer is home from Purdue university for the holiday vacation.

There will be work in the Masters degree at the Masonic lodge room Monday evening and on Wednesday evening the Masons and Eastern Star will have a joint installation to which all Masons and wives are invited, following this the Eastern Star ladies will serve refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Barrone spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. F. Jerome in Fort Wayne.

Walter Crabill, of Columbus, O., is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Crabill and other relatives.

Oscar Rhodes was home from Fort Wayne Friday and Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rhodes.

A Christmas tree in the home of W. A. Maddox, 1723 Sherman street, caught fire at 8:20 o'clock Saturday evening, but the blaze was extinguished before extensive damage had been done.

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BRUTAL HUSBAND IS SENT TO JAIL

Henry Truebenbach Beat Up His Wife During a Quarrel.

Henry Truebenbach, a well known man residing on the Goshen road in the northern environs of the city, pleaded guilty Monday morning in the city court to a charge of assault and battery, preferred by his wife, and was fined $10 and costs and given thirty days in jail. Unless the fine and costs are paid he will be in confinement for forty-five days. Mrs. Truebenbach said that he came home last Wednesday under the influence of liquor and gave her a beating, knocking her down and cutting her face. She was out in the highway when the police arrived. The woman testified that after beating her up, her husband taunted her to this effect:

"If you're game, you'll call the police but you ain't game to do it."

Mrs. Truebenbach was game, however, for Stationmaster Joe Degitz was there with the wagon in a few minutes. Mrs. Truebenbach stated that her husband drank much and when drinking mistreated her. His defense was that his wife ignored him about household and business matters and consulted her married children and the neighbors. It also was developed that he cherishes a suspicious jealousy. The couple have been married twenty-six years.

MISHAPS REPORTED TO POLICE

W. H. Siples, 1117 Packard avenue, report to police headquarters that while driving his automobile south on Broadway at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon he was run into from the rear by an interurban car. In the crash Mrs. Siples was painfully injured.

R. W. Tyler, 305 East Pontiac street, reported to headquarters Sunday, that while driving his jitney on Calhoun street a woman stepped from in front of a street car and was struck by his automobile and knocked down. He said the woman got up and walked away before he could obtain her name. Tyler said her view of his approach was obstructed by the street car. Later the police learned the woman was Mrs. Miller, of 215 East Lewis street, and her story was that the jitney was driven past the car while it was stopped to discharge passengers. She was bruised about the back and side.

A horse hitched to a sleigh rented from Gust Horstman and driven by two young men, ran away Saturday afternoon, taking fright when the cutter caught on a street car rail at Calhoun and Wallace streets and capsized, spilling the occupants. The horse ran to the alley north of Baker street, where it took to the sidewalk, pursuing that track to Brackenridge street, then turning west and galloping across front yards to No. 229 on that thoroughfare, where it fell and was captured.

Long Term for Jack Case at Farm

Jack Case, an unspeakable degenerate, who has kept the police busy in Fort Wayne for many years, was fined $100 and given six months at the state penal farm on a charge of public indecency. The penalty will keep him at the plantation for 290 days. Case was arrested Friday on West Berry street, where he had been committing a shocking offense. Case was sent to the farm in April for six months on a sentence by the circuit court and had been back for only a few weeks when he was again arrested. The police are satisfied he is the pervert whose indecencies have been complained of in various parts of the city for some time.

Bert Ward Will Tarry Awhile

Bert Ward was fined $10 and costs and went to jail for fifteen days on a charge of disorderly conduct. He was arrested last week while loitering about the entrance to the woman's comfort station at the court house and accosting young ladies. He has been in trouble before.

Other City Court Cases

Fred Kreps, who pleaded guilty last Friday to a charge of petit larceny and was continued until Monday for judgment, drew $5 and costs and thirty days in jail. He stole from a saloon a suit case belonging to a man named Wilson, who had left the bag in the place.

Andrew Delaney, a Sunday drunk, was fined $5 and costs and went to jail. Jim Sweeney, Charles Lindy and Fred Evans, drunks, were turned loose, as was George Ryan, a vag.

Ernest Bowman, on a charge of child neglect, was continued until Tuesday and his bond remained fixed at $200. The cases against Mose Dahlbe, assault and battery, and John Smyers, child neglect, were dismissed on motion of the prosecuting attorney.

HUNTER SHOOTS HIMSELF

Did Not Believe Shell Had Reached the Chamber of the Rifle

Vincennes, Ind., Dec. 27.—Edward Scales, age seventeen, accidentally killed himself with a repeating Winchester rifle. Scales, Edward Pennington and Evalt Grote were hunting near the city limits. Scales put the rifle to his heart saying: "Don't you believe I can shoot myself?" and pulled the trigger. His death resulted in three minutes.

Scales had loaded the rifle himself, but did not know the shell had reached the chamber of the weapon. His parents and two sisters survive. The young man had been employed in the Indian Creek coal mines as a loader.

BUTTER CONTEST TO BE HELD.

Prizes Will Be Offered for Best Exhibits at State Meeting.

Lafayette, Ind., Dec. 27.—The Indiana State Dairy association will hold a butter scoring contest in connection with its twenty-sixth annual meeting here at Purdue university, on January 13 and 14. Creamery butter in five, ten or twenty-pound packages, scoring more than 91 points, will share $50 in prizes. In addition, $5 extra will be awarded to the highest scoring butter. First, second and third prizes of $5, $3, and $2, respectively, will be awarded to exhibitors of country butter in five-pound packages or prints.

H. C. Mills, of West Lafayette, secretary of the association, is in charge of the contests.

Lee J. Ninde left Monday for New York and Washington to attend the National City Planning conference and the annual convention of the American Civic association.

Bright Plumage for the Outdoor Girl

By Betty Brown

The out-door girl is a girl of gay plumage. The suit in which she skates or hikes, or plays hockey will be severely plain if she is a true sportswoman, but it's colors will rival the rainbow.

Here's a suit you'll see often on rinks this winter—a heavy skirt of black and white check, a bright green sweater and a cap to match, a green scarf striped with white, and white angora gloves. The skirt, of course, may serve for general street wear, so the suit is by no means expensive.

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Psalm 34:1-22.

1 I will bless the Lord at all times: his praise shall continually be in my mouth.
2 My soul shall make her boast in the Lord: the humble shall hear thereof, and be glad.
3 O magnify the Lord with me, and let us exalt his name together.
4 I sought the Lord, and he heard me, and delivered me from all my fears.
5 They looked unto him, and were lightened: and their faces were not ashamed.
6 This poor man cried, and the Lord heard him, and saved him out of all his troubles.
7 The angel of the Lord encampeth round about them that fear him, and delivereth them.
8 O taste and see that the Lord is good: blessed is the man that trusteth in him.
9 O fear the Lord, ye his saints: for there is no want to them that fear him.
10 The young lions do lack, and suffer hunger: but they that seek the Lord shall not want any good thing.
11 Come, ye children, harken unto me: I will teach you the fear of the Lord.
12 What man is he that desireth life, and loveth many days, that he may see good?
13 Keep thy tongue from evil, and thy lips from speaking guile.
14 Depart from evil, and do good; seek peace, and pursue it.
15 The eyes of the Lord are upon the righteous, and his ears are open unto their cry.
16 The face of the Lord is against them that do evil, to cut off the remembrance of them from the earth.
17 The righteous cry, and the Lord heareth, and delivereth them out of all their troubles.
18 The Lord is nigh unto them that are of a broken heart; and saveth such as be of a contrite spirit.
19 Many are the afflictions of the righteous: but the Lord delivereth him out of them all.
20 He keepeth all his bones: not one of them is broken.
21 Evil shall slay the wicked: and they that hate the righteous shall be desolate.
22 The Lord redeemeth the soul of his servants: and none of them that trust in him shall be desolate.

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The Mail Man at Holiday Time.

Fort Wayne postoffice authorities agree that the volume of mail, both incoming and outgoing, handled during the present holiday season has been far in excess of that of any previous Christmas time. Literal mountains of it—letters, cards, packages, papers and parcels of all sizes, kinds, weights and descriptions—were moved daily during the rush, and early and late the mail men were pushing forward in their gigantic task of delivering to expectant, eager addressees the gifts and the greetings that supplemented the daily tide of ordinary mail that flows in and out of the federal building in Fort Wayne.

Nor was this city an exception. It was the same everywhere, the task varying in locality rather than in degree. Everywhere the mail man was confronted by a monumental job, and we think it will be agreed that he has performed it well. The mail man who can preserve his good nature and feel in his heart the responsive good cheer that pervades the rest of the general public in the face of his duties at the Christmas season is in a fine type of the human family that is entitled to something more than Uncle Sam has yet given him. His job is never a light or easy one, and at the holiday season of Christmas cheer it is anything but a joyous one. We think long service in a position such as his amply merits the civil service retirement privilege for which he has been earnestly, but, up to this time, rather fruitlessly contending. Have a heart for the mail man.

Occasionally we have substantial proof of the fact that a real heart beats in the breast of the millionaire, after all. The newest instance in point has to do with none other than Henry C. Frick, who has come forward with the voluntary announcement that he will reimburse some 41,000 Pittsburg school children for losses of their savings amounting to about $170,000 by the failure of a savings bank at Pittsburg. Mr. Frick, too, is one of the wealthy men who has been a special target of attack in the past, and he has been given some extremely bitter verbal punishment for his course in dealing with the labor problem as it developed in the vast steel industries with which he has been identified. To many who do not know the man, and who have formed their judgment solely from reading and from hearsay testimony, his present action will reveal a wholly unsuspected phase of his nature that does him infinite credit.

Washington dispatches bring the information that a coterie of influential republican leaders has just held a quiet little conference there, talked over the situation behind closed doors, reached the conclusion that Charles Warren Fairbanks, of Indiana, is the most advantageous selection as a republican presidential nominee, and resolved to "put him over." There will be plenty of latitude for the extolling of other favorite sons, but when the liking for that sort of thing has been sated, and the psychological moment has arrived, Mr. Fairbanks will be chosen. As a matter of fact, this is precisely how it is often done.

Following the earlier example set by some of the others, Mrs. Inez Milholland Boissevain and Governor Hanna, of North Dakota, have quit the Ford peace party in Sweden, and are preparing to return home. It is becoming apparent that Great Britain is not alone in facing the possible necessity for conscription in order to keep the ranks full. The chief difficulty encountered by the Ford peace party thus far appears not to have been the chilly reception accorded it in Europe, but the lack of high official commissions to go completely 'round to all the privates in the ranks.

The four Terre Haute election gangsters paroled from Leavenworth prison were given a royal welcome on their return to Terre Haute, a big crowd being on hand at the station to extend greetings and salutations, with Mayor Gossom conspicuous in the multitude. In the absence of recorded information to the effect that a band was present to play "See the Conquering Hero Comes," we take it that this fully expected detail was somehow overlooked.

Still, there seemed to be no pressing need for the discovery by the medical fraternity of a new disease that may prove fatal in the case of automobilists—"petromortis," or asphyxiation from the gaseous exhaust of the motor car. The automobile has managed to maintain a rather high average of mortality by merely running into something else, another of its kind or by indulgence in acrobatics not usually seen outside the circus ring or off the vaudeville stage.

PHILADELPHIA DRAPES CITY HALL IN SYMPATHY FOR TRAGEDY OF ARMENIA.

The photograph shows the black drape over one of the entrances to the public buildings, Philadelphia, to show the sympathy of the city for Armenians who have been so murderously treated by the Turks. This draping of the public buildings is especially significant as the mayor of Philadelphia, Rudolph Blankenburg, was born in Germany.

A NEW KIND OF POLITICS

(New York World)

Mingled with the approving chorus that follows the naming of Oscar Straus as chairman of the public service commission, come mutterings of "politics." The Tribune, in particular, says that "Gov. Whitman has named an eminent citizen because he was three years ago the aggressive candidate for governor."

That is not the reason which would first occur to most readers of the news. They would naturally suppose that the governor had tired of constant scandal and had resolved to name a man upon whom no suspicion could fall that he was accepting the office as anything less or other than a public trust, to be accepted and fulfilled with an eye single to the general interest.

But suppose that is politics. Suppose Gov. Whitman is trying to help heal the great schism in the old republican part. Suppose he has an eye upon a senatorship, a presidency or any honor to which an American may aspire. That would be politics, but the Straus appointment is at least a new kind of politics to associate with the public service commission.

It is the kind of politics that, if continued, should restore the public service commission to be what it was meant to be when the law that has been a model to many other states was passed. It is the kind of politics that would at last apply ability and purpose to the regulation of service corporations. It would be the kind of politics to win and keep public approval.

DRINK WATER TO AVOID SICKNESS SAYS AUTHORITY

Glass of hot water before breakfast daily keeps the doctor away.

Sanitary science has of late made rapid strides with results that are of untold blessing to humanity. The latest application of its untiring research is the recommendation that it is as necessary to attend to internal sanitation of the drainage system of the human body as it is to the drains of the house.

Those of us who are accustomed to feel dull and heavy when we arise, splitting headache, stuffy from a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, can instead, feel as fresh as a daisy by opening the sluices of the system each morning and flushing out the whole of the internal poisonous stagnant matter.

Everyone, whether ailing, sick or well, should, each morning before breakfast, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver and bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and poisonous toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach. The action of hot water and limestone phosphate on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases, waste and acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast. While you are enjoying your breakfast the phosphated hot water is quietly extracting a large volume of water from the blood and getting ready for a thorough flushing of all the inside organs.

The millions of people who are bothered with constipation, bilious spells, stomach trouble, rheumatic stiffness; others who have sallow skins, blood disorders and sickly complexions are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store. This will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone a pronounced crank on the subject of internal sanitation.—Advertisement.

APPLES IN STORAGE

(Indiana Daily Times)

Indiana at this time has in cold storage 33 1-3 per cent. more apples than were on hand a year ago. And this, too, in spite of the story very generally told, that the Indiana apple crop of 1915 was not fitted for storage. It will be recalled that when thousands of bushels of beautiful apples were being allowed to rot on the ground, apple buyers asserted that the wasted fruit was not of a quality that would keep. In spite of the wasted tons of apples, the storage supply is one-third larger than last year. The apple crop certainly was a whopper. It is a pity with tens of thousands of bushels of good apples, and with hundreds of thousands of apple-hungry people longing for the fruit, some method of distribution could not have been devised independently of the cold storage plan. It is a pity that luxury prices prevailed for apples all through the period when tens of thousands of bushels of the finest aples were rotting. One of the shames of our shoddy civilization is its indolent neglect of just such problems as that of feeding the people with the real product of the land at honest prices.

HAD RIGHT TO SHOOT RABBIT

H. P. Gates Acquitted for Killing Animal Said to Have Been a Pet.

Valparaiso, Ind., Dec. 27.—H. P. Gates had a right to kill a rabbit that entered the city limits and began the destruction of a fruit tree there, according to Mayor Sisson, who dismissed a case against Gates by Mrs. P. A. Gant, the wife of a musician. The rabbit is said to have been the pet of Mrs. Gant's five-year-old daughter. She said the child became hysterical when she learned it had been shot.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

What the Sentinel Had to Say About Persons and Events Twenty-Five Years Ago.

P. A. Randall is in Rochester, N. Y., on business.

Dave Spencer, the cigar dealer, remembered the members of the police force with cigars Christmas.

Dr. A. J. Laubach has returned home from the east and is again attending to his practice.

Prosecuting Attorney-elect Phil B. Colerick, who has been dangerously ill, is reported better.

Mrs. Jesse L. Williams was seriously ill, following a severe chill, yesterday, but is improved.

Employes of the painting department in the Olds wagon works presented their foreman, A. Schulte, with a fine silk umbrella Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Holverstott, of Grand Rapids, Mich., are visiting in this city, which was formerly their home.

With its last issue the Monroeville Breeze closed the seventh year of its existence. Editor J. D. Allegar is issuing a newspaper that merits the support of his community.

A bald eagle measuring eight feet from tip to tip of its wings has been killed on the farm of John Kline in Jackson. The giant bird was slain by a Mr. Laneger.

George Potter, of the civil engineering corps of the Nickel Plate railroad, and Fred Crail, of the Hoosier Manufacturing company, spent Christmas with their parents in Ashland, Ohio.

L. D. McNutt, superintendent of the street railway, is at Waterloo, Mich., to purchase horses to take the place of the sixty horses burned to death in the fire that destroyed the company's east end stables.

Henry C. Berghoff and a Rothschild have transferred the artificial ice plant to the Artificial Ice company, the consideration being $100,000. The company now consists of these gentleman and R. T. McDonald.

There has been filed in the office of County Recorder M. M. Thompson a mortgage showing the Findlay, Fort Wayne & Western railroad has borrowed of the Washington Trust company, New York, and Allen Zollars, trustee, the sum of $1,440,000.

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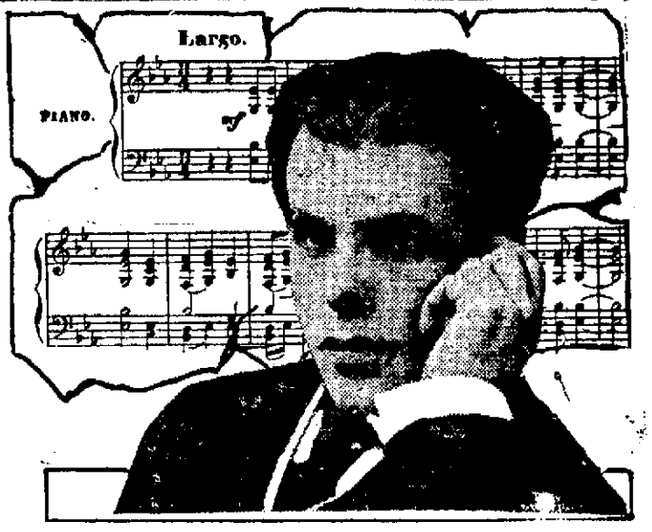
Dr. Edward Kraus and two bars from "Tschaikowsky's 1812 Overture."

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 27.—The ether cap, skopomaline, chloroform, cocaine and such other anesthetics approved by science were cast aside for the soothing effects of music when Dr. Edmond Kraus, a prominent vocalist of Minneapolis, submitted to an operation in the chambers of Dr. Charles Benjamin Wright.

Today Dr. Kraus is proudly citing the incident as proof of his long held belief that music, to the musician, is as good a pain killer, and as soothing as cocaine is to the man without an artistic sense.

"I absolutely felt no pain," Dr. Kraus remarked. "No pain absolutely. It was all along just as if I were dreaming."

"Dr. Wright said I must take "Tchaikowssky's 1812 overture, "And that is what I took.

"Tchaikowskys' 1812 overture, played on an excellent gramaphone placed close to the operating table all the while the physician was driving his sharp knives and lances into my throat.

"The operation proves what I have long believed, that music is the best anesthetic for musicians. For the man possessing an artistic sense skopomaline, cocaine, ether, chloroform, and such things are not needed, I say.

"Music is sufficient. It has soothed the wildest rage of savage beasts. Why then should it not sooth mortal pains? Thus I argued when I went on the operating table and by personal test proved my belief."

Supporting Dr. Kraus' statement Dr. Wright today declared that the artist appeared quite insensible to pain during the operation.

"It was a remarkable demonstration," Dr. Wright said. "If I had not seen the thing with my own eyes I would not have believed it possible."

DIES 4 WEEKS AFTER STARTING WORK HERE

Prof. Blomenberg, an Emmaus Teacher, Answers Final Summons.

Only four weeks after he had accepted a call to become a teacher at Emmaus Lutheran parochial schools and following an illness of but three days, Prof. Albert C. Blomenberg died at the Lutheran hospital early Sunday morning. Death was due to peritonitis which, it is thought, developed from an operation which he underwent nearly a year ago.

The deceased was born in Adams county, near Friedheim, twenty-six years ago, and his untimely death will come as a great shock to his many friends in this city as well as in the adjoining county. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Blomenberg, and received his early education at the Friedheim schools. Later he attended the seminary at Addison, Ill., and graduated a few years ago. He was an accomplished musician and had specialized on the piano and organ.

Prof. Blomenberg had also proven his ability as composer and one of his selections was rendered at the morning services Christmas day at Emmaus Lutheran church.

Besides the widow he is survived by the parents and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Paulina Bruck, of Fort Wayne; the Misses Clara, Adelia and Meta Blomenberg, at home, and August and Martin Blomenberg.

The body will be held at Klaehn & Melching's parlors until Tuesday noon when it will be removed to the residence of his uncle, Conrad C. Witte, 1401 Swinney avenue. Funeral services there Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock and at 2 o'clock at Emmaus Lutheran church. The body will then be taken to the home of his parents in Friedheim, where services will be held Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock and at 2 o'clock at the Friedheim Lutheran church, Rev. Preuss officiating. This will be an auto funeral both here and at the former home.

The following Lutheran school teachers will serve as pallbearers: H. Konow, of Emmaus; A. Koldewey, of Goeglein; Carl Floering, of Emmaus; H. Kalt, of Trinity; William Benhoff, of Zion's, and Martin Pohlmann, of Concordia.

The city of Toronto has expended nearly $2,000,000 in erecting and equipping one of the largest and best appointed industrial schools in North America.

YOUNG WOMAN RESCUES BOY

Finds Carl Vetter, Age Seven, Struggling in Water of Mill Race.

Elkhart, Ind., Dec. 27.—"Can't you get out, Carl?" was the question Joseph Vetter, age five, asked his brother Carl, age seven, when Miss Mabel Searls was walking over a railroad bridge at a millrace here.

Miss Searls had seen neither boy. Looking over the edge of the bridge, she saw Carl struggling in the water. She lay flat on the bridge and extended her hand to the boy as the current bore him past her.

Miss Searls seized his hand, and, still creeping on the bridge, aided him to reach solid ice, from which he scrambled to the bank. Then she took him home.

Mrs. Charles W. Vetter, the mother, explained that the two little boys had got up from bed before their parents to go out to play with a new sled. The sled had slipped into the race.

Words of Praise for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

"Last winter I used two bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," writes Mrs. John Miller, Roanoke, Ind. "It cured me of a severe cold on the lungs and an aggravating cough. I have recommended this remedy to a great many people who have used it and have nothing but words of praise for it." Obtainable everywhere.—Advertisement.

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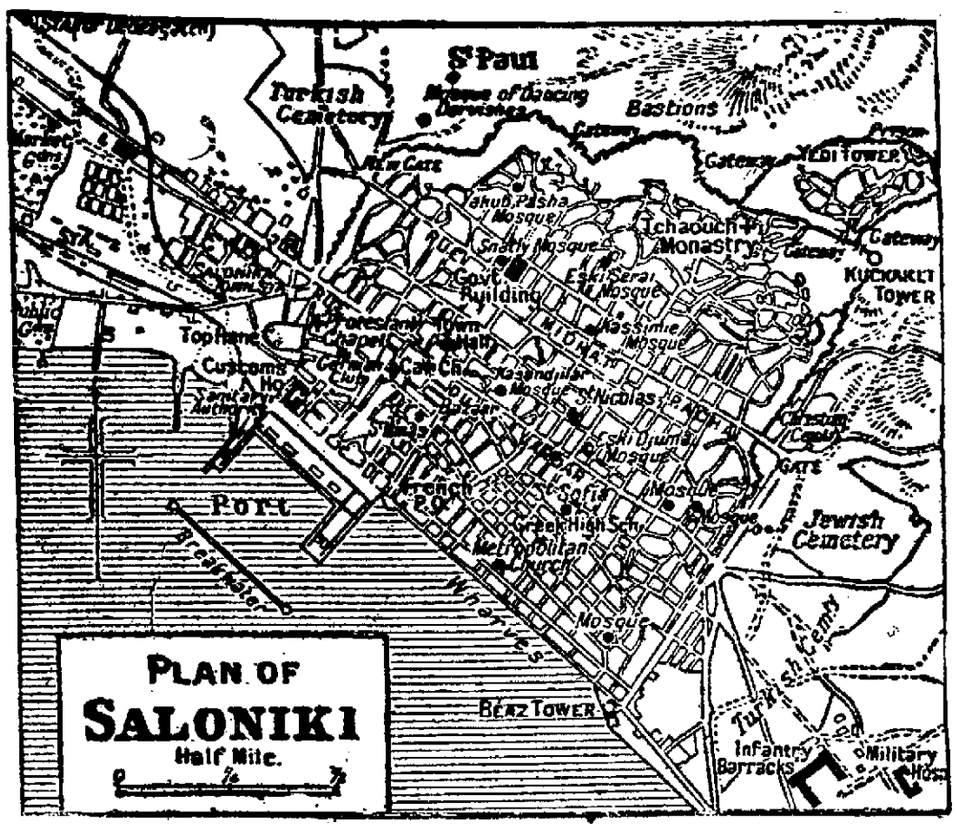
SOON TO BE TARGET OF BIG GERMAN GUNS—SALONIKI, THE ALLIES' BASE IN THE BALKANS.



The map above shows the plan of the Greek port of Saloniki, the base upon which the Allied forces in the Balkans have retired. An eighty mile war zone has been declared about the city and all Greeks except a few government representatives have withdrawn. It is toward this city taht the Teuton-Bulgar forces are now driving.

MANY NEW FEATURES IN SHIPPING BILL

Some of the Provisions of Plan Proposed by Mr. McAdoo.

By Gilson Gardner

Washington, Dec. 27.—A lot of new features have been worked out by Secretary McAdoo in his new shipping bill—the full text of which will be introduced in the house after the holidays. Following are its principal provisions:

1. The government to build in American shipyards.

2. The ships to be of the oil-burning type, of size ranging from 3,000 to 10,000 tons displacement.

3. The type to be standardized by government experts, so that the vessels shall be specially adapted to use as colliers and auxiliaries to the navy.

4. Ships to be built both in private and in government-owned ship-yards; the latter yards to be additionally equipped to do the work.

5. The government to have power to sell, lease, or buy ships.

6. The government to act through a stock-issuing corporation of whose stock the government would hold at least 51 per cent.

7. The sum of fifty millions to be appropriated as a starter.

8. Regulation of marine freight rates to be attempted through a commission similar to the interstate commerce commission.

9. Regulation of foreign ships doing business in American ports through requiring foreign ships to secure a license before doing business here.

Perhaps the most important feature of McAdoo's plan is the opening up of the semi-abandoned government shipyards. Many of these yards were located in the day of the wooden cutter and are too far inland and have too shallow water to float the great steel fighting ships of the modern navy. The latter are constructed in private yards where water is deep, and the government yards are kept occupied mostly with little pottering jobs, and except for political influence would long since have been abandoned. The proposed oil-burning auxiliaries are small enough so they could be built in these government yards and the passage of this legislative would be a boon to all districts having them.

The private shipyards meantime cannot object since they are practically all contracted up to their full capacity for three years to come.

The importance of oil as a fuel is keenly felt by Secretary McAdoo. Indeed, McAdoo is almost prepared to predict that sea-going transportation is about to undergo a revolution as important as that from wooden ships to steel, and sails to steam. The fuel oil ship is quite different from the steamship and its advantages may be such that the steamship fleet will soon be scrapped. Added cargo space, speed, and economy are among the advantages of the oil-burning ship, but in considering their use for naval purposes this country is not blind to the fact that the United States and Mexico are the principal sources of oil supply. While foreign nations would have to buy fuel the United States could take its fuel from natural reserves within the country's borders.

The navy needs about fifty auxiliary ships. When Roosevelt sent the navy around the world, it was necessary to charter more than this number of foreign vessels to carry coal and provisions. The new oil-burning ships would have special facilities for trans-shipping coal or other supplies at sea, and in other ways would be specially adapted to their possible war use. In times of peace they would serve as the beginning of an American freight-carrying fleet which would aid in building up our foreign commerce.

KEPT INDOORS BY SNOW

Wilson Devotes Morning to Papers from Washington.

Hot Springs, Va., Dec. 27.—Heavy snow kept President Wilson in doors today and he devoted the morning to papers from Washington. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson planned to go motoring later in the day. One of the questions before him was the selection of postmaster for New York city. Several applications for pardons also were under consideration.

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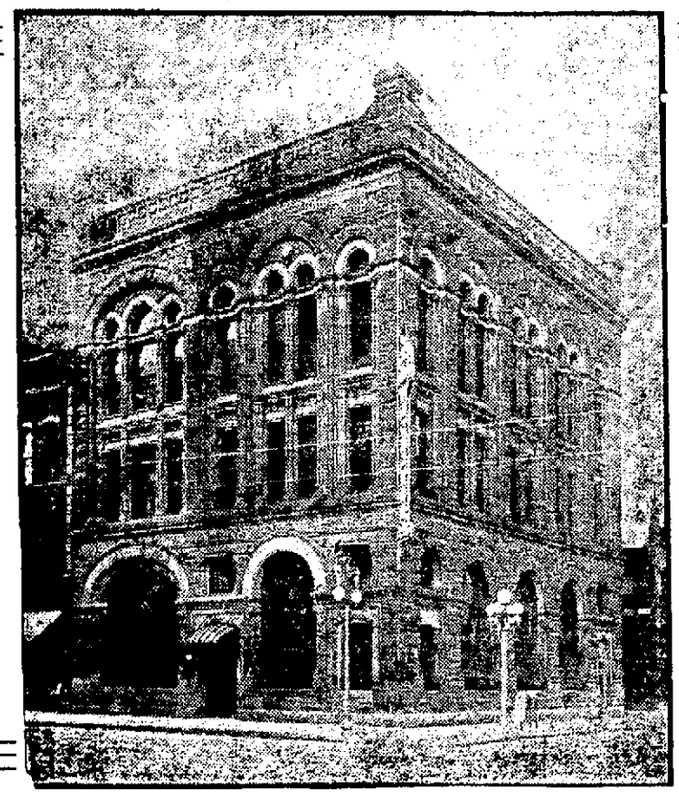

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"I'll Come Back to Kill, Not Fellow Mexicans, But Gringoes," Says Villa

Correspondent Bruce, in Only Interview With Vanquished Leader, Tells How Pancho Seized Foreigners as Hostage for Wife's Jewels, Seized by Uncle Sam.

By David Bruce

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Chihuahua, Mexico, Dec. 25.—Pancho Villa, beaten down at last, is leaving Mexico, but as he flees he trumpets a warning to the United States that some day he will return—not to kill his fellow-Mexicans, but to fight the hated Gringo.

Here is the amazing message which this extraordinary leader gave to me on the day he rode out of Chihuahua and left the city to Carranza's conquering troops:

"I have many cartridges yet but I will not use them against my fellow-Mexicans. I will leave here. I will allow the Carrancista's to take the city. "But I tell you, as I tell my people, the Carrancitas are the advance guard of the gringoes. The gringoes, lusting for gold and riches of this great country, will follow them.

"And when they do, my countrymen will call for Pancho Villa again, and I will be ready.

"That day I will find use for the cartridges I will not use against my countrymen."

Villa, the ex-bandit, the unlettered idol of the peons was about to mount the horse upon which he rode out of the Plaza Hidalgo never to return—except, perhaps, to make good his threat against the gringoes.

Short, squat and common-looking, he gazed across the crowded plaza. Tears gathered in his eyes and rolled down the tanned cheeks.

He had just finished a speech at a great mass meeting of the people. He had told them in simple pleasant language that he was ready to lay aside the sword with which he had almost won the presidency of Mexico.

"Where am I going now?" he said. "The owls of the mountains have their crevices, and surely God will not deny Pancho Villa and those who have been faithful to him and to Mexico any less.

"I have said goodbye to my people,

Gen. Villa

but also I have said, 'goodbye until you call me.'

"And when they do call Pancho Villa will not fail them!"

Villa left behind him 30 foreigners—31 Americans, five Germans and three Britishers—whom he was holding for ransom. They were released as soon as Villa left town.

Villa had demanded for their release $30,000—the exact value of the jewelry which United States officials took from his wife when she fled across the border.

The officers said she had not declared the gems. But Villa, knowing little of custom laws, was enraged.

The 30 formed the entire foreign population of the lumber town of Madera, 100 miles west of this city. They were brought here by Villa in his flight from Sonora.

Madera Lumber Co. officials had fled without paying their 300 native employees. Villa stopped their train and ordered them by wire to pay $30,000. They agreed. The reason for the amount asked was not apparent till Villa asked Charlie Powers, paymaster of the Northwestern railroad:

"Has your wife any jewelry?"

"A little—her engagement and wedding rings and a few trinkets of little value."

"Did I ever ask you for her jewelry" Villa exploded.

"No."

"But the United States government took my wife's jewelry from her in El Paso—$30,000 worth," said Villa.

The next morning the 30 foreigners were seized as hostages for the payment of the sum. They were threatened with imprisonment in the penitentiary, but Villa finally agreed to intern them in the Palace hotel.

CELEBRATE AS BIG GUNS BOOM

German Troops in France Not Denied Christmas Festivities.

XMAS TREES GLOW ALL ALONG LINE

Gifts from Home Reach the War-Torn Troops on Battle Lines.

With The German Army in Northern France, Dec. 24.—(Via Lille and Berlin to London, Dec. 27.—4:47 a. m.)—War is no respector of customs. Therefore there was no change of activity along the line in northern France on Christmas eve. If possible the French artillery fire more nearly approximated the celebrated "drum fire" of the late September offensive than at any time since then.

Christmas to the average German, however, is the most important day of the year, and they refused to allow the French army to spoil their celebration. All along the line Christmas trees blazed almost as if in opposition to the flare of exploding shells.

How They Celebrated.

In order to spend the evening as nearly as possible in the accustomed way members of the company gathered in a little wooden building, just behind the front. A tiny stage had been erected for the inevitable orchestra and speakers and in one corner stood a little Christmas tree laden with tinsel and sweets. Adjoining it were long tables on which were gifts for the soldiers—cigars, socks, chocolate and all kinds of wearing apparel—mostly home made articles stitched by loving fingers and intended to lessen in some degree at least the rigors of winter time war.

Not many of the company was less than 30 years old and the majority of them were 45. The majority, too, had sons in the field and many had lost their nearest and dearest.

Music is Devotional.

The music was, without exception, devotional, rather than patriotic. The room fairly shook as the bearded men, most of them peasants, stood and sang hymn after hymn. After the first song servants brought in huge mugs of beer sent especially from Bavarian breweries.

The captain had received literally bales of presents for his men and as far as possible had divided them equally. They lay in little piles on the tables. Accidentally, or through design, each soldier had to pass his captain and for each the commanding officer had some special greeting.

"Hello, Fritz, have you something from your wife?" "Merry Christmas, Johann. Is that boy of yours getting better?" were examples of his salutations.

Cannon were booming meanwhile and the glare of exploding shells was constantly visible. When a shell exploded especially near or with an unusually loud report the whole room broke into laughter. As midnight approached the scene became gayer. Except for the uniforms one could not have guessed the celebrants were soldiers who had been separated from their families for months and who had lost relatives on the battlefield.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR ATTEND SERVICES

In accordance with their custom of the annual observance of St. John's day, the members of Fort Wayne commandery No. 4, Knights Templar, met at 10 o'clock Sunday morning at the Masonic temple and marched in a body to Trinity Episcopal church, where special services were celebrated.

A section of the church had been reserved for the lodge members and Rev. E. W. Averill delivered a special sermon for them. He took as his text the question of John the disciple, "Who is the greatest in the Kingdom of Heaven?"

The service was well attended, a large proportion of the members of the commandery being present. For years St. John's day has been observed by the Knights Templar with similar services.

Practically any outdoor game that a child plays in the streets of New York is a violation of the law.

SHIP A DAY USED IN RELIEF TO BELGIUM

Uncle Sam Sets New Record for Philathropy in December.

New York, Dec. 27.—Shipments of foodstuffs into Belgium during December are declared by the American commission for relief in Belgium to have established a record unparalleled in the history of philanthropy. Already thirteen steamers have left American ports and by the end of the month one shipload of supplies for every day in the month will have entered Belgium or will be on its way there.

In October of this year, according to a statement issued today by Alexander J. Hemphill, treasurer of the commission, the amount collected and spent in benevolent work by the organization was $4,328,175.

"The sources of this vast sum," Mr. Hemphill said, "were as follows: Profits from sale to those who can pay for food, $1,030,201; from Belgian institutions abroad, $2,816,974; general gifts, $456,000.

"We never have been able to give the Belgians and French more than a minimum ration of food and at any moment their borrowing capacity may be cut and this minimum ration further decreased. The need for winter clothing which has arisen can be met only by appealing to America.

Gokteik viaduct, in the Shan hills, Upper Burma, is the highest railway bridge in the world. It is 820 feet above the water.

FIRE ENDANGERS WAR MUNITIONS

New York, Dec. 27.—Three million rounds of cartridges, thousands of Springfield rifles and revolvers and other weapons were endangered by a fire in the storage room of a building in West Houston street, early today. The fire was quickly extinguished with small loss, before reaching the ammunition.

Police were investigating the circumstances and they learned the ammunition was bought in this country by German agents seven months ago with the intention of shipping to Germany. The plan, they said, failed because British vessels refused to engage in carrying munitions to the enemies of Great Britain. John S. Patrick, a contractor, and owner of the building, had a permit to store the ammunition and $60,000 revolvers there.

FRIEND OF LINCOLN DIES.

Col. Edward Jay Allen Was Member of Grant's Staff.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 27.—Col. Edward Jay Allen, aged 85, friend of President Lincoln, member of the staff of General Grant during the war and one of the first settlers of Seattle, Wash., died at his home here early today. He was also the author of a number of books.

E. W. Erwin, clerk in the Nickel Plate freight offices at Stony Island, returned there last evening after spending Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Erwin, of 1129 St. Mary's avenue.

TROOPS MARCHING ALSATIAN CHILDREN OUT OF WAR ZONE TO ATTEND SCHOOL IN FRANCE.

Society

A tea of beautiful appointment was given this afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock by Miss Gladys Johns, at her home in Jackson street, to honor Miss Olive Kirkby, of Toledo, Ohio, who is visiting her. The cheeriness of much holly and Christmas greens in general made the rooms unusually attractive and big and fluffy bows of red tulle set off the candlesticks filled with red candles and the center decoration of the dining room, which was composed of greens and scarlet immortelles. Miss Johns and Miss Kirkby received the one hundred young women invited and Miss Dorothy White, Miss Madge Magee, Miss Mary Evans, Miss Marian Bash, Miss Phyllis Randall, Miss Venette Sites and Miss Helen Caldwell visited with the callers and assisted in serving them refreshing things to eat and drink. Mrs. Richard Kirkby, of Toledo, who is here with her daughter, was an interested visitor during the tea.

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The Woman's league ball tonight is to be the most splendid event of the social calendar. Consideration for the young and those of middle age, and varied entertainment as well, have been looked after, so no one need feel that all he can do is to stand around and shake hands once in a while, eat and drink, and then go home—bored. For arrangements are such as to make everyone contented during the entire evening. The best of music has been engaged. Special dances will be given by Misses Virginia Olds, Muriel Lacimore and Virginia Randall. Decorations and refreshments are on a class worthy of the occasion. In other words, everybody is going to have a "perfectly grand time" if he or she goes. And many are going, and going just because they want to, not because some organization in nearly destitute circumstances is waiting for the receipts. Some people have brand new clothes to wear. Those who can not have the new clothes are going to wear their old ones. If they don't dance they plan for a game of cards with congenial friends who are going. Mrs. Clark Fairbanks, president of the State Federation of Women's clubs, is to lead the grand march.

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Miss Helen Calhoun, of Tiffin, Ohio, was the honor guest at a charmingly informal tea given this afternoon at the home of Misses Thelma and Helen Reul, of West Jefferson street, with Miss Valetta Lageman and Miss Jenetta Schich as assisting hostesses. Receiving with the hostesses and Miss Calhoun, was Miss Violet Fowler, of this city, whose residence here has not been of any considerable time, and this was a happy occasion for her to meet the young girls invited. The Reul residence was trimmed with holiday greens, much southern smilax, holly and many red bells all being used. In the dining room the table was quite gay with red candles and a basket of greens topped off with red ribbons. About one hundred and fifty young ladies called. Miss Margaret Ferguson, Miss Mildred Schultz, Miss June Harrod and Miss Mildred Archer assisted in serving refreshments.

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Miss Emma Rosenthal has returned from a visit in Chicago, with relatives.

Miss Gertrude Fresh, of Piqua, O., is coming this week to visit Miss Persis Bond, of Fairfield avenue.

Miss Eva R. Peck went to Dennisboro, N. Y., to spend her holiday vacation.

Mrs. Catherine Heyman is entertaining her son, Walter, from Jackson, Mich, for a few days' visit.

Dr. and Mrs. Walter M. Leonard, of West Berry street, are entertaining Mrs. R. H. Leonard, of Bellevue, O.

Mrs. Irwin Strasburger, of 1004 West Wayne street, is entertaining Miss Lena Moses, of Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester I. Hall have as guests Mr. Hall's mother and sister, of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Nichols, of West Wayne street, have returned from a Christmas visit in Xenia, O.

Robert Learmonth, jr., who is located in Muncie, came home for a Christmas visit with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dart have returned to Detroit after a few days' visit with Mrs. Etta McKay and other relatives.

Mrs. Malcolm Green and daughter Ruth, of Auburn, are visiting Miss Gertrude Green and Seth Green.

Mrs. J. W. Kammel and daughter Catherine, of Bucyrus, O., are here on a visit with her parents, of 1226 Delta boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Baldwin, of Chicago, are holiday guests of Mrs. Frances Baldwin and family, of West Wayne street.

Mrs. Sarah Vesey, accompanied by Miss Emma Jenkinson, is going to Florida soon, to remain the rest of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Pixley are planning to go to Florida on an early date in February, to remain for the rest of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Fulton and son, Edwin, of Peru, were guests at a family dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Miller, on Sunday evening.

The engagement of Miss Clara Lange, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. August Lange, to Otto Jungkuntz, a member of the faculty of Concordia college, has been announced.

Mr. and Mrs. George T. Ladd have returned to Pittsburg, after spending Christmas with Mrs. Ladd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Barrett.

Glenn A. Smiley has returned from Kokomo and Tipton, where he spent Christmas with friends and relatives. He also visited at Indianapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ellison have returned to Detroit, Mich., after visiting over Christmas with Mr. Ellison's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Ellison.

Miss Louise Breuer, of Washington boulevard east, is a Milwaukee Downer college student who is at home for the holidays, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Breuer.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Perry and children, Miss Nellie and Maurice, of Alexandria, who came to spend Christmas with Frank Chalfant, of Columbia avenue, are extending their visit until next week.

Mrs. J. J. Donovan and Mrs. Thomas McGraw, of Champaign, Ill., are visiting their father, Timothy Foohey, 205 Douglas avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Mailbucker, of Indianapolis, are visiting with Mrs. Mailbucker's parents, and friends. Mrs. Mailbucker was formally Miss Marguerite Klever, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyttleton Tough came from Columbus, O., to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Brown and other relatives and returned home on Monday.

Mrs. Victor E. Russell, of Toledo, O., is to make a holiday visit in the city with Mr. and Mrs. George Russell and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Saemeyer, of West Creighton avenue, and also with other relatives and friends.

Miss Mary Hammond, of Chicago, has come home for a few days' visit with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Hammond, of West Main street. Miss Hammond is taking a course in professional nursing.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Loeser of Chicago; Miss Millie Loeser, of Cleveland; Miss Hedwig Loeser, of St. Louis, and Theodore Grabill, of Detroit, Mich., formed a family gathering over Christmas of Mrs. Loeser, of Park View avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bond and daughter, Barbara, returned to Chicago, on Monday, after a few days' visit with Mr. Bond's relatives here. Miss Lois Bond accompanied the visitors to Chicago and will visit Miss Dorothy Fullerton.

Mrs. A. E. Carroll returned from San Francisco the day before Christmas and will be for the present with her children at Sacred Heart academy. Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Taft, who have been occupying Mrs. Carroll's house during her absence, will move out about the middle of January.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Gerhard, of East Lewis street, are entertaining Mrs. Elzerhood, of Detroit, Mich., and a number of friends planned a surprise on her in honor of her natal anniversary. Participating in the good time were Fred Koenig and family, William Kramer and family, Charles Koenig and family, Fred Buhr and family, Charles Reiter and family, Henry Koenig and family, Gust Gick and family, Miss Tillie Meinzen, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Kramer, George Schlichter and family.

Aloysius Miller, of 212 Spy Run avenue, gave a Christmas supper party on Saturday evening in honor of the family. Games and music were other pleasures of the evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Will Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Mart Lennart, Mr. Kenkey, Jack Miller, Nick Miller, Miss Ida Millere, Miss Mary Miller, Miss Frances and Miss Beatrice Johnson, Miss Mildred White, Miss Rena Bowmann, Miss Lena Kinkey, Mrs. Batcheler, Miss Anna Miller and Edward Crawford, of Chicago, and Jack Kinkenna, of Grand Rapids.

"WIDE AND SHORT FOR DANCING" IS DICTUM OF AMERICAN POIRET.

By Betty Brown

"The dancing frock of fashion is short and rath-er wide." It's Hickson, New York's famous man-dressmaker, the "Poiret of America," and member of the Fashion Art league, who says so and here's an example of one of the "rath-er wide" gowns.

It's worn by Eleanore Painter, once a grand opera singer, now singing the title role in "Princess Pat." The gown is of white liberty satin with overdress of silver lace. Notice how short the waist is and how closely it fits—and this is one of Hicksons spring models.

West—Heckman.

Miss Elizabeth Heckman and Mr. Fred G. West, both of this city, were married in Hillsdale, Mich., on Friday by Justice C. M. Weaver at the courthouse. Mr. West is a lineman.

Dancing Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, matinee and night. Trier's, Minuet. 27-4t

BIG DOINGS AMONG CLUB WOMEN.

Woman's League Program and Equal Franchise League Luncheon.

The domestic science department of the Woman's League is to have a most elaborate program on January 8. It is hoped the club women of the district, and the city women, will arrange to do their work so as to be able to avail themselves of this opportunity. It is not often we are able to have two well-known women at one time, owing to the fact that the Equal Franchise League will have a luncheon on the same date at the Anthony hotel, at which Miss Lottie E. Stearns, one of the directors of the General Federation, and a brilliant speaker, will give an address. Miss Stearns will also give a brief talk in the afternoon. Miss Adelaide Baylor, of Indianapolis, will give an address on vocational education for women. As Miss Baylor has charge of this work in this state, and is on the state board, she is especially qualified to talk on this subject. A musical program will be given by some of the city's most talented musicians. In addition, the department is to have an exhibit of sewing, embroidery, crocheting, weaving, china painting, basketry and woman's handiwork in the community. Miss Griebel, of the Griebel Art shop, is in charge of this exhibit, and all who are interested should see her and make arrangements as soon as possible. All these are subjects of city-wide importance to the women of Fort Wayne, and a general invitation is extended them to be present. (Signed).

MRS. LEE NINDE,
Chairman.

MRS. OLAF N. GULDLIN,
Chairman Pro Tem.

CONGRESS ALSO SETS RECORD.

New Bills Double Number Introduced at Last Year's Opening.

Washington, Dec. 27.—Bill clerks of the house, who are still working on the records of the proceedings of the sessions up to the holiday recess, reported today that the number of bills introduced at the 64th congress more than doubles the number of such measures presented in a similar period at the opening of the 63rd congress. During the first twelve days of the last congress 3,320 bills were introduced. In the similar period during the present session there were 6,781 bills introduced, besides 153 resolutions.

New classes form in all departments Monday, January 3rd. Office open every day this week. International Business College. 12-27-tf

BENEFICIAL UNION ELECTS.

The German Beneficial union, at its annual meeting elected the following officers for the coming year: John Wiegand, president; Frank Zakschefski, vice president; Jacob Koehl, treasurer; William Kintz, conductor; Carl Mueller, warden; Frank Friedmann, William Kintz, Christian Sutorius, trustees; Valentine Kaufmann, deputy trustee.

More than 100 girls, each of whom weighs more than 200 pounds, are registered at the state university of Kansas.

Out of 18,000 houses in Schenectady, N. Y., only 417 are not wired for electricity.

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SEAGULLS VISIT PARIS.

Paris, Dec. 27.—Seagulls, which rarely visit Paris, are flying about the grand palace this morning. Their presence is attributed to the high water in the Seine, which has now risen ten feet, covering some wharves in the lowest part of the river front. There has been much rain the last fortnight.

New Year's Eve AT ANTHONY HOTEL

IT'S GOING to be "one wonderful night." It marks the close of the most successful year we have ever had.

We're going to celebrate with you, and take our word for it—it's going to be some celebration.

Delightful music and entertainment. Dancing and a special quartet from Chicago. Noise-makers of all kinds, balloons, horns—all the equipment that goes toward making the evening one filled with gayety and good cheer.

It's a night to forget all care and worry. And we're going to make Hotel ANTHONY the center of New Year's Eve festivities in Fort Wayne.

Make Your Reservation Not Later Than Dec. 29th

Dancing and Entertainment Tonight

MAJESTIC Theatre
3 DAYS, STARTING TODAY
Matinees 2 and 4 o'clock.
Chicago Tribune
"GERMAN SIDE OF THE WAR"
Prices 10c, 20c, 30c

A Red-Blooded Story

THE GIRL AND THE GAME

Featuring
Helen Holmes,
The Fearless Film Star
AT THE GRAND
(Every Week.)
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.
Each Installment published in THE SENTINEL the Saturday Previous.

Orpheum Theatre
TO-DAY
Opening Engagement
GOLDEN GATE TRIO
Harmony Singers Supreme.
NORMA TALMADGE
In
"CAPTIVATING MARY CARSTAIRS"
A Comedy Romance
—Also—
"GRAFT"
Third Episode.

JEFFERSON
GALA WEEK—MASTERPIECES DAILY
Today and Tomorrow
Triangle Masterpiece
Thomas Ince Presents
"ALOHA OE"
(Farewell to Thee).
One of the most pretentious productions that ever graced a screen. A magnificent picturization of the famous Hawaiian story. A beautiful love story leading one from the New York home of a rich lawyer to the beautiful settings of a tropical country. Greatest storm at sea ever registered in film. Thrilling volcano eruption. A wonderfully satisfying and remarkable film classic. Worth double admission.

Wednesday and Thursday
DENMAN THOMPSON'S
"OLD HOMESTEAD"
Paramount.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
BESSIE BARRISCALE
In
"THE GOLDEN CLAW"
Triangle.

EMPRESS
Cyrl Scott's Big Fun Play
"THE LOTTERY MAN,"
Laughs Galore.
First Time at Popular Prices

TEMPLE THEATRE
ALL THIS WEEK
Matinee Daily, 10 and 20 Cents
"NO MOTHER TO GUIDE HER"
Night, 10c, 20c, 30 Cents.

Answer Questions of Child, Expert Advises Mother

Told by
WINIFRED SACKVILLE STONER,
Exponent of Natural Education

Some day a bright young lady will hang out a sign reading, "Answerer of Children's Questions." And she will make a fortune!

Until that day mothers must use the "Book of Knowledge," to be had at book

stores, as the best available compilation of answers to the insatiable questioning of their children.

In all my schools we use this invaluable fund of knowledge, just as I used it in the education of my daughter Winifred. And there is but one query which I have been unable to answer through this book. It was asked by Winifred, and was, "Mother, how far can a cat spit?" Perhaps that is not very important, anyway, at least not to grown-ups.

Every intelligent mother should attempt to answer her child's questions. That is a tremendously important factor in natural education.

Nature gave the child the question as an instrument with which to dig for knowledge.

Kiddies do not ask questions unless they are interested, and when they are interested they will remember what is told them.

Someday I hope my Natural Education method of answering queries—of allowing expression, rather than fostering repression—may be used in every school in the land.

Then children may give us hints on what they want to learn, in place of being compelled to take what we want to teach them.

OFF SHE GLIDES FOR HER AFTER-SCHOOL FROLIC.

By Betty Brown

Um! Don't you wish you could join her in her after-school frolic; don't you wish you could lock up your desk, or put aside your yard stick, or lock your kitchen door and go skating away with the little girl from school?

And is there any real reason why you shouldn't have your frolic on the ice as well as the care-free little school girl? The rinks—indoor and outdoor rinks are open days and evenings, skates are an inexpensive luxury, much cheaper than nerve specialists. Take another look at the merry little girl on skates—her good cheer is infectious, but the only place you can "catch" it is on the skating rink.

Clothing for the poor of Fort Wayne will be received at 1029 Fairfield avenue, and distributed to worthy people through the Fort Wayne Mother's club and the various charitable organizations. 11-15-tf

DON'T SHOOT!—IT'S ONLY THE LATEST IDEA IN VEILS.

It's not a hold-up—at least smartly dressed women don't think that way about this latest freak of fashion—THE DOMINIE VEIL.

Worn with the new "topper's," the veil—with eyeholes let into it—gives the chic girl a REGULAR BOLD, BAD HIGHWAYMAN APPEARANCE. But it's been noticed along Fifth avenue, where the first of these veils have been seen, that plenty of men appear willing to be victims of the beautiful "bandits."

The veils come in several patterns but the most popular is one with a rather heavy and elaborate pattern that gives a rich effect.

PALACE Theatre Phone 67
TWICE DAILY 2:30 and 8:15
Gala Holiday Program
Here at last. What every woman wants. Direct from New York and Chicago sensations—"As well be out of the world as out of Fashion."
Menlo Moore's $10,000
"Style Review"
The greatest novelty of the season. Ten living models—Luxury ru mad. Riot of extravagance. Georgeous display of Gems, Gowns, Furs, Negligee, Lingerie, Hats, Feathers, Sport Clothes and Boots. Gowns loaned by the supreme creative artists of style in the world. There has never been anything like it.
Big Supporting Bill—Bobbe & Dale—Hershel Hendler—Lawrence & Hurl-Falls—Gladys Vance—Thursday, Six Kirksmith Sisters.
HAVE YOU ENGAGED YOUR SEAT FOR NEW YEAR'S EVE?
Special New Year's Day, Three Performances—2:30, 7:30, 9:00.
DAILY MATINEES, 10c; 25c RESERVED. NIGHTS AND HOLIDAY MATINEES, 10c, 25c, 35c. BOXES, 50c.

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• NORTHERN INDIANA'S GREATEST DEPARTMENT STORE •

• Nos. 119-121-123-125-127 WEST BERRY ST. •

The Greatest Fur Event of the Season

20 Per Cent. Discount Sale — **Our Annual Fur Sale Which Started this Morning** — 20 Per Cent. Discount Sale

This is the event that women who know quality furs have been waiting for. This morning we placed on sale

Our Entire Stock of Furs de Luxe at a Mark-Down of 20 Per Cent.

It offers you your unrestricted choice of all Coats, Scarfs, Muffs and Sets from the largest and finest collection of high-grade furs in Northern Indiana.

Fur Coats

Regular price $375, reduced to....$300
Regular price $275, reduced to....$220
Regular price $250, reduced to....$200
Regular price $225, reduced to....$180
Regular price $185, reduced to....$148
Regular price $175, reduced to....$140
Regular price $165, reduced to....$132
Regular price $160, reduced to....$128
Regular price $145, reduced to....$116
Regular price $125, reduced to....$100
Regular price $69.50, reduced to....$55

We still have many sets of children's furs on which there is also the discount of 20 per cent.

Scarfs, Muffs, Sets

Our stock of scarfs, muffs and matched sets consists of every desirable fur of the season.

Foxes in black, red, taupe, pointed, etc.

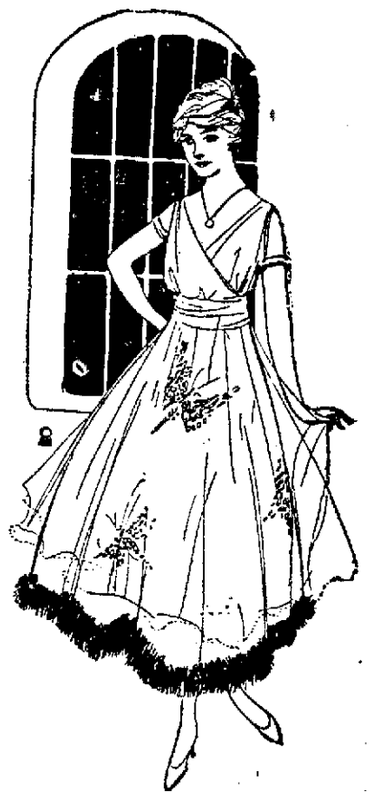
Natural Marten.
Beaver.
Natural Grey Opossum.
Brown Opossum.
Black Marten.
American Wolf.
Manchurian Wolf.
Civit Cat.
Coney.

All at 20 per cent. less

Early selection is suggested, in order that those who have been waiting for this great sale may not be disappointed.

Along with Holiday Invitations Comes This

Special Selling of Party Frocks



The sale started this morning and includes every party dress, afternoon gown and dancing frock in stock at

One-Third Less Than Regular

What an opportunity to buy a lovely dress for holiday festivities! Every model is but lately received, and made in the newest fashion—fluffy chiffons, soft satins—rustling taffetas, in exquisite colorings and designs. The new wired skirts are noted in nearly every model, and the softly draped bodices are charming.

Your Unrestricted Choice at a Third Less

All Remaining Holiday Novelties Reduced in Price

This morning started the clear-away of all remaining holiday goods, and soiled handkerchiefs and aprons. It gives a chance to provide New Year's gifts at trifling expense for these novelties are not to be carried over in stock.

All Toys and Games at a Third Off

Handkerchiefs and Fancy Aprons

—Soiled from handling, and used for display purpose—

25 Per Cent. Off.

All Christmas Novelties At 25 Per Cent. Off.

Novelty Furniture

—Smoking sets, cellarets, telephone stands, tabourets, etc—

At 25 Per Cent. Off.

KING PETER FINALLY AGREES TO QUIT ARMY

Brindisi, Italy, Dec. 27.—(Via Paris, 2 a. m.)—King Peter of Serbia, has arrived here on board an Italian cruiser.

The sovereign had refused resolutely until now to leave his army and it was only at the urgent entreaty of his son, the prince regent, that he at last agreed to go into exile. The prince pointed out to his father that it would be better for him to preserve his strength so that he would be able after his health had been restored to return to his country and the head of a re-organized army.

A Rome dispatch on Dec. 26 said King Peter had accepted Italy's offer of a place for his use at Caserta, near Naples, but it later was reported that the aged ruler had declared he was determined to die among his own people and not to abandon his army. The king has been seriously ill for months but frequently was on the firing line with the Serbian troops before they were overwhelmed by Austro-Germans and Bulgars.

SPECTACLE IS TRAGIC.

Exiled Monarch Says He Must Live to See Victory for His People.

Paris, Dec. 27.—King Peter of Serbia was brought from Durazzo to Avlona on an Italian cruiser, says the Journal's Avlona correspondent.

"The voyage was rough and the king had to be carried ashore in an arm chair. It was a tragic and heart-rending spectacle.

"An automobile carried the monarch to a secluded inn opposite Italian headquarters where I called upon him and was shown into the poorly furnished room he occupied. His clear eyes, what depths of bitterness did they conceal! His features hollowed by suffering, what immense weariness did they betray! That sorrowful countenance was the epitome of the whole tragic epoch.

"I am no longer king; I am only a general, I give no more orders. It is the crown prince who commands. For the future I am nothing in the government. A soldier, I have only to be."

"And the army, your majesty?" I asked. "My soldiers are dropping from hunger and weariness. We must feed them and then after a few weeks' rest we shall see!"

"What are your own plans Sir?"

"I want to go to Saloniki to see my minister of war. If this is possible I shall arrange something. I have got to live to see victory for my people and the triumph of our just cause.'

ONE FOR ALL, ALL FOR ONE, URGES LANSING

Secretary of State Sets Out Pan-Americanism in Address.

Washington, Dec. 27.—A Pan-Americanism of "One for all; all for one" was outlined by Secretary Lansing today at the opening of the Second Pan-American Scientific congress.

"Pan-Americanism," said the secretary, "is an expression of the idea of internationalism. America has become the guardian of that idea which will in the end rule the world. Since the European war began other factors have strengthened this natural bond and given impulse to the movement. Never before have our people so fully realized the significance of the words, Peace and Fraternity."

At another point in his address Secretary Lansing said: "If the sovereignty of a sister republic is menaced from overseas, the power of the United States and, I hope and believe, the united power of the American republics will constitute a bulwark which will protect the independence and integrity of their neighbor from unjust invasion and aggression."

Mr. Lansing's Address

Mr. Lansing said in part:

"It is the Pan-American spirit and the policy of Pan-Americanism to which I would for a few moments direct your attention at this early meeting of the congress, since it is my earnest hope that 'Pan-America' will be the keynote which will influence your relations with one another and inspire your thoughts and words.

"Nearly a century has passed since President Monroe proclaimed to the world his famous doctrine as the national policy of the United States. It was founded on the principle that the safety of this republic would be imperilled by the extension of sovereign rights by a European power over territory in this hemisphere. Conceived in a suspicion of monarchial institutions and in a full sympathy with the republican idea it was uttered at a time when our neighbors to the south had won their independence and were gradually adapting themselves to the exercise of their newly acquired rights. To those struggling nations the doctrine became a shield against the great European powers, which in the spirit of the age coveted political control over the rich regions which the new-born States had made their own.

"Within recent years the government of the United States has found no occasion, with the exception of the Venezuela boundary incident, to remind Europe that the Monroe Doctrine continues unaltered a national policy of this republic. The republics of America are no longer children in the great family of nations. They have attained maturity. With enterprise and patriotic fervor they are working out their several destinies.

A New Resolution

"During this later time, when the American nations have come into a realization of their nationality and are fully conscious of the responsibilities and privileges which are theirs as sovereign and independent states, there has grown up a feeling that the republics of this hemisphere constitute a group separate and apart from the other nations of the world, a group which is united by common ideals and common aspirations. I believe that this feeling is general throughout North and South America, and that year by year it has increased until it has become a potent influence over our political and commercial intercourse. It is the same feeling which, founded on sympathy and mutual interest, exists among the members of a family. It is the tie which draws together the twenty-one republics and makes of them the American Family of Nations.

"This feeling, vague at first, has become today a definite and certain force. We term it the 'Pan-American spirit,' from which springs the international policy of Pan-Americanism. It is that policy which is responsible for this great gathering of distinguished men, who represent the best and most advanced thought of the Americas. It is a policy which this government has unhesitatingly adopted and which it will do all in its power to foster and promote.

Much Like Family

"When we attempt to analyze Pan-Americanism we find that the essential qualities are those of the family—sympathy, helpfulness and a sincere desire to see another grow in prosperity, absence of covetousness of another's possessions, absence of that spirit of intrigue which menaces the domestic peace of a neighbor. Such are the qualities of the family tie among individuals, and such should be, and I believe are, the qualities which compose the tie which unites the American Family of Nations.

"I speak only for the government of the United States, but in doing so I am sure that I express sentiments which will find an echo in every republic represented here, when I say that the might of this country will never be exercised in a spirit of greed to wrest from a neighboring state its territory or possessions. The ambitions of this republic do not lie in the path of conquest but in the paths of peace and justice. Whenever and wherever we can we will stretch forth a hand to those who need help. If the sovereignty of a sister republic is menaced from over seas, the power of the United States and, I hope and believe, the united power of the American republics, will constitute a bulwark which will protect the independence and integrity of their neighbor from unjust invasion or aggression. The American Family of Nations might well take for its motto that of Dumas' famous musketeers, 'One for all; all for one.'"

ANOTHER YEAR OF EXPOSITION

Money and Exhibits Pledged to Make Success of San Diego Show.

San Diego, Cal., Dec. 27.—The Panama California exposition here will be continued during 1916, with a number of new features. Ample money has been subscribed to insure success.

San Diego plans some marked improvements for 1916. Many important foreign exhibits will be moved from San Francisco, including the Canadian, French, Italian, Dutch, Russian, Spanish, Swiss, German and Austrian exhibits. It is probable India, Persia and Turkey exhibits will be added. Exhibits of the California counties have been obtained and a number of zone attractions will be added.

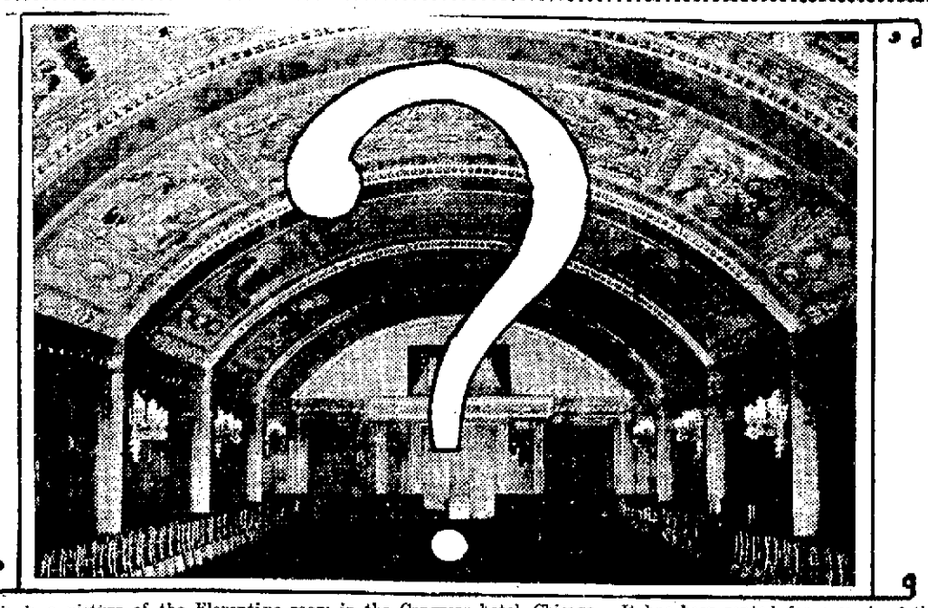
A large attendance is expected from the east, particularly during the summer season, when the perfect climate of San Diego is at its best.

SENTINEL WANT GET RESULTS ADS ALWAYS

BLACK BUFFALOES INSTEAD OF AUTOMOBILES PULL FRENCH SUPPLIES IN BALKANS.

When the French and their allies started to march from Saloniki into Serbia and Bulgaria they found none of the transportation facilities that aided both opposing armies on the western front. There were no great auto tractors to pull heavy supply wagons. So they loaded supplies into carts and bought or hired black buffaloes and oxen to haul them.

WHO, OH, WHO, RENTED THE FLORENTINE ROOM?



This is a picture of the Florentine room in the Congress hotel, Chicago. It has been rented for a week of the republican national convention next June by a mysterious person representing another mysterious person. Those political wiseacres who think they know say it's Roosevelt, and declare he plans on being a prominent figure, if not more than that, at the G. O. P. convention. In the meantime the curiosity of every politician is aroused. It was in the Florentine room that the progressive party was born at the convention in 1912. What part this famous room will play in the politics of 1916 is the puzzle of all political puzzles.

QUIET AFTER 5-HOUR SIEGE OF JAIL BY MOB

Muskogee, Okla., Dec. 27.—With the safe removal from the county jail here of the two negroes arrested in connection with the murder of a policeman, Muskogee returned to normal conditions today and there was nothing on the surface to show that the jail had been besieged for five hours last night by a mob of white men that threatened to lynch the negroes.

Two hundred negroes said they would open fire on the whites the moment they attempted violence.

Two assaults by the white men were repulsed by the militia. While a third assault was being agitated the two negroes were dressed in militia uniforms covered by military overcoats with high collars and were rushed from the jail in a taxicab before the watchers outside knew it was being done. With the negroes safely removed the leaders of the mob were allowed to search the jail and then all dispersed.

This eased the racial tension which at one time threatened a pitched battle, the white men declaring they would charge the negroes unless they disarmed and went home.

In preparation for trouble a local hardware dealer opened his store and supplied arms and ammunition to citizens who wished means of protecting themselves. The two negroes, Wm. Green and Mathis Foreman, are believed to have been taken to the state penitentiary at McAlester. They are accused of having slain Samuel Neal, a patrolman, when he attempted to arrest them on suspicion of burglary.

DEMOCRATIC LOVE FEAST JANUARY 19.

January 19 has been set for the big democratic lovefeast that will be held in this city, and Congressman John A. M. Adair will be here to deliver an address at the meeting. It is also hoped to get Senator Kern for the same date. Auditor Dalo J. Crittenberger and Treasurer George A. Bittler have notified the committee that they expect to attend.

Indigestion and Constipation.

"When living in Syracuse, N. Y., about two years ago I took two bottles of Chamberlain's Tablets and they cured me of indigestion and constipation after I had suffered for months with these disorders," writes Mrs. Charles Gloyd, Baldwinsville, N. Y. Obtainable everywhere.—Advertisement.

John Pinter, age thirty-seven, a prosperous farmer, living twenty-four miles from Chippewa Falls, Wis., has never ridden on a street car or a railroad train until he left home for Lomira to be married.

Try Sentinel Want Ads.

Keeping In Touch With All The Live Sports of The World

THE FORT WAYNE EVENING SENTINEL'S SPORT PAGE

RACCOON IS A MIGHTY GOOD SPORT

Ackerman Presents Sentinel Readers With Another Hunting Article.

By Morris Ackerman, of the Fish and Game Protective Association.

One of the most interesting outdoor sports for the hunter is trapping the raccoon, also called the ringtail and plain coon. The animal is an all-around sportsman himself. He fishes, hunts and traps.

The coon's fur is prime, in northern states, as early as November and in the south and west from mid-winter to spring.

To be successful in trapping the coon it is well to know his habits. He is nocturnal and in the wild state is seldom seen in day-time. When the winter is severe, he hibernates like the bear, coming out for food only on mild nights.

He catches fish and frogs, hunts birds and sometimes poultry, prys into all sorts of corners and crevices and traps spiders, worms and other insects. He is fond of fruit and his love for green corn makes him hated by the farmer. A few hungry coons will raise Ned in a field of young corn, tearing down stalks to get the sweet juice from tender ears.

Usually the home of the animal is in the hollow of a tree, some distance from the ground.

One way to trap the coon is to find where he has been traveling along the edge of water. Make a little pen of sticks, either dry or under water. Set trap and bait at the end of the pen.

Another way is to dig a good-sized hole in the bank near the water, put the bait in the end of the hole and set the trap at the mouth. Place a trap in the middle of logs crossing streams, cover it with rotted wood or leaves and staple it to the log.

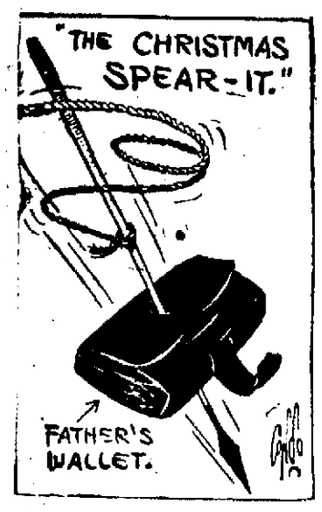
Use traps from No. 1, 1½ to 3.

ACTIVE TURNERS MEET HUNTINGTON

The Active Turners, who have been putting up a mighty classy type of basketball this year, will run into the Huntington five on Tuesday evening. This is the Huntington crew's first appearance here this year, but the visitors are rated among the best in the state. The Turners are working hard for the go and will be in condition to put up a pretty good argument. The preliminary starts at eight, and big go an hour later, and the matches will be played off at the Turner gym, on West Superior street.

Dr. John J. Ogle, of Barr street, leaves soon for Florida, where he will spend the remainder of the winter and practice medicine with his brother, Dr. L. W. Ogle.

OUR DAILY CARTOONET.



RUFE GILBERT MAKES A BOW

And Then Says a Little Piece About Salaries in Baseball.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Dec. 27.—Baseball salaries are going to take a drop next season, from which they will not recover for at least four or five years, and possibly longer, according to Rufus Gilbert, manager of the Terre Haute club, of the Central league.

Gilbert has been in Michigan for the past two weeks, most of which he has spent at Muskegon, trying to organize an association to sponsor the Sawdust Burg's bid for representation in the Dickerson circuit.

"Get rid of your high priced players." This is the word, Gilbert declares, that is being passed along to the managers of minor league teams these days. That Gilbert has had this little tip whispered into his ear already, and further that he hasn't wasted any time about complying, is evidenced from the string of classy performers that has been disposed of.

Five of Rufe's players of last season will be absent from the Terre Haute lineup, when the team takes the field for play in 1916. Arthur Nehf, the southpaw demon went to the Boston Braves. Jack Vann was grabbed by Salt Lake City, while the Southern league got the rest of Gilbert's high salaried help.

Central league magnates, at their meeting in Evansville, recently, fixed a salary limit of $2,000, with $175 as the maximum wage that can be paid for any one player.

Grand Rapids fans already are beginning to bid good-bye to stars like McCraw, Edington and McArthur, for, if the general policy of retrenchment in baseball, which is fastening itself on every league in the country, is followed out by the Grand Rapids club management, it is hardly possible that these players can be kept here.

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE

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CITY.

Louis Fox to Ralph L. Magee, lots 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, and vacated alley, Fox add., for $5,000.

COUNTRY.

Ella Hyndman, et. al., to Amos Bear, N. 16. 56 ch. of W. 28. 94½ chs. of E. 35. 38 ch. S. E. sec. 20. Eel River twp., for $1.00.

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P. F. Kuhne, to C. F. Koehlinger, W. 32 64-100 acres S. W. ¼ ex. R. R. sec. 7, Jefferson twp., for $1.00.

John Coull to Clara J. Coull, W. 60 a. S. W. ¼ sec. 30, Lafayette twp., for $1.00.

John Coull to Clark J. Coull, W. 60 a. S. W. ¼ sec. 30, Lafayette twp., for $1.00.

H. A. Hollopeter, etux, to Daniel Steiner, W. 25 ft. of lots 41, 42, 44, Huntertown, for $15.00.

Chas. E. E. Shafer to Wm. D. and Cath. B. Pancake, ft. S. E. ¼ sec. 18, Monroeville twp., for $1,200.

Conrad Simon, etux, to William and Eliza Hockemeyer, lot 40, Smith's add., for $1,950.

SEEK TO DEFINE "AMATEUR"

Delegates from Fifteen Organizations in Effort to Agree.

New York, Dec. 27.—Officers and delegates from 15 organizations governing amateur sports are here today to attend a conference called by the inter-collegiate association of amateur athletes of America, to consider the definition of an amateur. A meeting will be held late this afternoon. One of the many questions to be presented is that regarding the amateur standing of an athlete in one sport who has become a professional in another sport as in the case of Brickley, the Trinity college football player.

Try Sentinel Want Ads.

QUITS JOB ON MILK WAGON TO RETURN TO FIGHT GAME.

By Brown Holmes

Chicago is about to lose a corking good milk man. Spike Kelly is going to return to the ring.

Two years ago Spike was one of the very best scrappers in the business. He held his own with Mike Gibbons and all the other top-notchers. He was in the championship contender class.

Good welter-weights were scarce then and Spike was so good few fighters of his weight wanted to meet him. He took a job driving a milk wagon so he could be sure of three square meals a day.

Now there is a boom on in the welter-weight class. Most of the fighters who call themselves lightweights are really welters and they are getting most of the money. Kelly is going after some of it.

"I think this milk wagon job has put me in better shape than I ever was before," says Spike.

"The brisk morning air has done my wind a lot of good and any man who runs up and down as many stairs as I have delivering milk to apartment houses is bound to be good in the legs. I'll be faster on my feet than I used to be."

Kelley has marked his re-entrance into the ring by accepting a challenge issued by Willie Schaefer to all welter-weights. He is also looking for bouts with Ted Lewis, Willie Ritchie, Mike O'Down and Kid Graves.

KINGS OF ROUGH STUFF COMING AGAIN

Zanesvillians Soon to Face the St. Paul's Speedsters.

The Zanesville basketballers will put up another exhibition here on New Year's night, when they run up against the St. Paul's Lutherans at St. Paul's gym. The Zanesville crew was there as usual with the strong arm stuff in the last game it put up here, and the Lutherans are rather inclined to await it with clubs and brick bats.

Zanesville isn't doing basket ball any good in these parts, for it is putting up a brand of the game that isn't very attractive to the peaceful observer. They are a crowd of physically big fellows, and they use their weight to a decided advantage. It is up to some local team to give them a really good square beating, and St. Paul's are strong for the honor.

As a Christmas remembrance, Theo J. Israel, the clothing merchant, presented each of his employes a sum equal to one week's wages.

The new entertainment committee of the Benevolent Order of Buffaloes is composed of John T. Bauley, Maurice Elder, Nelson Clippinger, Charles G. Breman and Sam Lewis.

SO BIG HE CAN'T GET GLOVES TO FIT

Art Slavin, a Columbus, O., heavyweight, is so big promoters have trouble finding gloves big enough to go on his hands. Several sets of five and eight-ounce gloves he tried were too small and a pair of ten ounce gloves had to be secured. Slavin wears No. 14 shoes and has them made to order.

TO GIVE A WATCH PARTY.

The entertainment committee of the Saxonia Singing society is arranging for a watch party to be given New Year's eve at the hall. Members, their families and friends are invited to attend.

A shipbuilding yard in Japan still in operation was established 1,000 years ago.

LYCEUMS MEET FINDLEY FIVE

The Findley Nationals, basketballers extraordinary, and long rivals of local teams, will journey here next Wednesday night for a fling at the St. Patrick's lyceums. The Findley crew is one of the most rapid in the middle west, and the going will sure be good. The St. Patrick's boys probably will line up with their old string of stars, although there is a probability that Vonderhaar may go into center for a time, with Loos to fill in the remainder of the game in that position.

A camera has been designed for reading electric, gas and water meters and recording the readings.

Outbursts of Everett True.

BY CONDO.

EVERETT, LET ME TAKE A FIVE TILL NEXT WEEK—
OH, YES, I'LL LET YOU TAKE A FIVE! OH, YES! REMEMBER HOW YOU PAID BACK THE LAST FIVE I LOANED YOU? NEITHER DO I!!!

72 TEAMS ENTERED IN CHAMPIONSHIP MEET

Expert Marksmen Preparing for Big Competition in Coming Year.

Washington, Dec. 27.—Plans for national defense and preparedness have given great impetus to the improvement of marksmanship among civilians and resulted in a much extended list of competitors this season for the Inter-Club Gallery championship of the United States, held annually under the auspices of the National Rifle association of America, which is fostered by the war department. This season 72 clubs have entered teams of ten men each. The five highest scores made by the team will be totalled as the club's weekly match score. The clubs have been divided in six classes, with 11 matches each, extending from December 25 to March 4. Each man will shoot 20 times at 75 feet, using .22 caliber rifles and ammunition, in prone position. The club making the highest score of the season will receive the championship trophy and medals will be presented to the winning team in each class.

Clubs composing Class A are: The Park club, Bridgeport, Conn.; Peters Rifle and Revolver club, Kings Mills, O.; Warren, Pa., Rifle club; Bucyrus, O., Rifle association; District of Columbia Rifle association; Bangor, Me., Rifle association; Marion, O., Rifle club; Manchester, N. H., Rifle and Pistol club; First Missouri Infantry Rifle club, St. Louis; Buffalo, N. Y., Rifle club; Birmingham, Ala., Athletic club, and New Haven, Conn., Grays' Rifle club.

Class B clubs: Watertown, S. D., Rifle club; Gisholt Rifle club, Madison, Wis.; Youngstown, O., Rifle and Revolver club; Ogden, Utah, Rifle and Revolver club; Hopkins, Minn., Rifle club; Milwaukee, Wis., Rifle and Pistol club; Salt Lake City, Utah, Rifle and Revolver club; Detroit, Mich., Rifle and Revolver club; Kane, Pa., Rifle club; Adrian, Mich., Rifle club; Boston, Mass., Rifle and Revolver club, and Tacoma, Wash., Rifle club.

Class C clubs: Tucson, Ariz., Rifle club; Albion, Ind., Rifle club; Hoosier Rifle club, Indianapolis, Ind.; Swiss Rifle club, Louisville, Ky.; Louisville, Ky., Rifle and Revolver club; Corinna, Me., Rifle club; St. Paul, Minn., Rifle and Pistol club; Cypress Hills Rifle and Revolver association, New York city; Citizens' Rifle and Revolver club, Rochester, N. Y.; Stanton, Neb., Government Rifle club; Ashland, O., Rifle and Revolver club, and Olympic Rifle and Pistol club, San Francisco.

Class D clubs: McKeesport, Pa., Rifle club; Quinnipiac Rifle and Revolver club, New Haven, Conn.; Ashburn, Mass., Rifle club, Lynn, Mass., Rifle and Revolver club; Portsmouth-Norfolk, Va., Rifle club; Lestershire, N. Y., Rifle club; Auburn, N. Y., Rifle club; Middletown, N. Y., Rifle club; Rifle and Revolver club of New York., Inc.; Rochester, N. Y., Rifle club; Fifth Regiment Rifle club, Baltimore, Md., and Ithaca, N. Y., Rifle club.

Class E clubs: Guthrie Center, Ia., Rifle club; Topeka, Kans., Rifle club; Chicago, Ill., Rifle club; Manhattan, Kans., Rifle club; Toledo, O., Yacht club Rifle and Pistol association; Glendale Rifle club, Bedford, O.; Tulsa, Okla., Rifle club; Shawnee Rifle and Revolver club, Lima, O.; Mecker, Colo., Rifle club; Fort Harrison Rifle club, Terre Haute, Ind.; Helena, Mont., Rifle club, and Pierre, S. D., Rifle and Revolver club.

Class F clubs: Taunton, Mass., Indoor Rifle club; Rensselaerwyck Rifle club, Albany, N. Y.; Erie, Pa., Rifle club; Washington, D. C., Rifle association; Detroit, Mich., Y. M. C. A. Rifle and Pistol club; Quincy, Ill., Rifle club; Covington, Ky., Rifle and Pistol club; Kiowa Shooting club, Des Moines, Ia.; Port Clinton, Ohio, Rifle club; St. Augustine, Fla., Rifle club; Hydraulic Pressed Steel Co., Rifle club, Cleveland, O., and Portland, Ore., Rifle club.

The secretaries of the clubs will report each week to the National Rifle association headquarters in Washington, where the scores will be announced. Judges appointed by the association will witness each match.

Says He Was Booted Out of Baseball.

Edward Gwinner

Edward Gwinner, who backed the Pittsburn club in the Federal league, is quoted as saying he was kicked out of baseball. No arrangement was made for him to be taken care of when the baseball peace pact eliminated the Federal organization. Gwinner says the Federal league venture cost him $100,000. He wanted to buy into organized baseball, but was not permitted to do so.

AT EMMAUS ALLEYS.

ZIONS.

Players—	1st.	2d.	3d.
Bauck	155	146	126
Speckman	147	154	163
F. Trautman	167	106	141
Meyers	148	156	123
A. Trautman	179	202	150
Totals	796	763	724

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Players—	1st.	2d.	3d.
Korte	200	195	138
Snyder	122	109	146
Harding	131	176	155
Dicke	193	159	162
Jaeger	170	126	144
Totals	817	768	745

WOMAN FIGHTS WITH THIEF

Mrs. William Holly Confronted With Revolver on Return Home.

Richmond, Ind., Dec. 27.—When Mrs. William Holly, wife of a Richmond artist, returned home after a shopping trip she was confronted by a robber with a revolver, who commanded her not to scream.

Mrs. Holly did not scream, but she attacked the intruder and attempted to wrest the weapon from his hand. The robber succeeded, however, in throwing her to the floor and escaped from the house. Then Mrs. Holly screamed for help.

Two gunnysacks were found on a couch. One of them was partly filled with various articles of wearing apparel.

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Miss Readymade, Here's What You Will Wear Next Spring; It Costs $5 More, Too

Jackets Will Be Short, and —Horrors! — Skirts Even Shorter—That's Edict of Garment Makers' convention Where Delegates Decide What Your Wife and Mine Shall Wear Long Before We Earn the Money to Pay for It.

By Dean Halliday.

Cleveland, Dec. 27.—Miss Readymade, your $25 spring suit is going to cost $5 more this year!

And here's what you'll look like for $30:

Your jacket and skirt will be short—so short you'll have trouble telling one from the other.

And your 7-inch skirt is going to flare at the bottom—so full in fact that you'd better be careful on breezy days.

Your sleeves, by the way, will boil out at the wrist—the designers had to do something with the material saved on jacket and skirt.

And the colors—

"Oi, yoi," exclaimed the delegates at the convention of the National Cloak, Suit and Skirt Manufacturers' association, meeting in Cleveland. Hardened style veterans they were, yet it was a shock even to them.

Reseda green will predominate. It can't be helped. It would subdue a parrot.

High rose tints, delft blues, tangoe tans and black and white zebra stripes will be some of the "staples."

They are all colors that nobody had the nerve to wear in former years. But they're all the imported dyes that are left in the country—so garment makers have to use them now.

American dye merchants are making the other kind, and they're all right—unless you get caught in the rain.

Perhaps you think your wife picks out her own clothes. Well she doesn't. It's done for her months before by several hundred of the cloak and suit manufacturers "style sleuths." They decide just what she shall wear and what she shall not, and this year they are all "made in America" styles.

And that's why Miss Readymade's suit will cost $30 this year instead of $25. It's costing so much more to make up American dyes for American-made goods that the manufacturers have got to boost prices.

At the annual convention the manufacturers' delegates pass judgment on several hundred suggestions for spring suits. It's purely for "Men Only."

Hundreds of relatives of Potash and Perlmutter sit down in long rows of chairs. The orchestra strikes up a likely tune and a troup of living, breathing models come mincing out wearing the suits your wife and mine will be wanting soon.

Hardly a word is spoken as they parade past the rows of men—just one "perfect 36" after another.

But in that silence, amid blue clouds of cigar smoke spring styles for the "ready-made" are made. If a gown is a seller every one leans forward eargerly as the model, proudly conscious, trips merrily up and down the aisles.

If it's a 'sticker," nobody pays any attention, cigars are puffed up, and the model, ashamed of the suit herself, slinks back to the dressing room as quickly as she can.

A "pretty suit" to the trade means one that will sell at least in 1,000 lots. When such a one apepars, everybody seems to arrive at the same conclusion at the same time. Pudgy hands reach forward to feel the texture of the goods as the model passes. In eager undertones comments are made on this pleat and that, that button there and that piece of braid there.

"Oi, what a seller. Vill they eat it up, yes?" and 200 delegates lean back and beam.

No one is allowed to make sketches or drawings of the costumes. That is, nobody but a few newspaper artists who aren't supposed to worry much about style.

This year after 200 different suits had been shown, and the "perfect 36s," without whom the cloak and suit trade would turn up its toes and die, had begun to get tired, the style committee of seven retired to some mysterious inner chamber.

There for 15 minutes, they pondered the problem or perhaps they only told funny stories—and then out came the report that tells our wives what they are going to wear this spring.

From the conglomeration of model garments just on exhibition the delegates had picked the various styles and points that their masters, the manufacturers to the trade, will turn out for Miss and Mrs. Readymade to wear this spring.

Summing It Up.

The following is the baldly sketched outlines of the spring styles for "Ready-mades" just decided upon by the convention of the National Cloak, Suit and Skirt Manufacturers' association:

Suits

Tailored coat suits will be short with waist line tendencies and fullness or ripple effect below the waist and with turn-over collars and set-in sleeves.

Another and shorter type of suite (the Cote) will employ a loose jacket often embellished with embroidery, and employing sleeves with bell or wide effect at the wrist.

Skirts

Whatever the style of the jacket, skirts will be full and short. Bands, folds or tucks will emphasize the full effect.

Separate Coats

Belted effects and deep yokes will give the new models of sport coats a very young appearance.

The cape collar on coats will be fashionable.

A longer type of coat is the Redingote which employs waist line tendencies and is extremely full below the hips.

Materials

The materials for spring are gabardines, serges, whip cords, poplins, bedfords cords, checks, stripes, golfines, duvetyns and novelty materials. Silks, such as taffeta, faille, gros de londres, and silk poplins will be popular.

Colors

Navy, Hague, blue, gray, tan, white, reseda, and black are the season's staple colors. High colors will be favored for trimming.

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INEZ MILHOLLAND BOISSEVAIN QUITS

Noted Suffragist Leaves the Ford Peace Party and Explains Why.

Stockholm, Dec. 27.—Mrs. Inez Milholland Boissevain, of New York, withdrew from the Ford peace expedition last night after a disagreement over the mode of procedure, and today presented at a public meeting of the delegates a long statement of her reasons for doing so, and for believing the project was doomed to failure.

"The undemocratic method employed by the managers of the expedition is repugnant to my principles," she said. "Instead of all the members formulating plans the work has been confined to a few specially selected persons. When the party embarked on the Oscar II, I took it for granted that the rather vague opinion of the body of delegates would be hammered into effective shape by group action and constructive thinking throughout the voyage.

"An organization was not formed until three days before the end of the voyage. To that fact I trace all misunderstandings, dissensions, mistakes in policy, inefficiency and inability to get the idea of a mediating peace congress in comprehensive shape before the public.

"The organization when finally formed, was abortive. The Scandinavian public which expected clear thinking and a definite program were skeptical about the serious mindedness of the delegates. At the meetings the discussions have been purely private with the result of ill feeling, suspicions and condemnation. For the reasons stated, I am unable to continue with the party.

Gaston Plantiff, the personal representative of Mr. Ford, requested Mrs. Boissevain to remain with the expedition, but without avail.

Since the departure of the expedition from New York three weeks ago no meetings have been held at which peace plans were discussed. Most of the discussions have taken place about the dinner tables at the hotels. Between meals the delegates went sight seeing. Mr. Ford's leaving the party on account of sickness last week is regarded as a serious handicap.

Rev. Charles F. Aked, of San Francisco; Judge Ben Lindsey, of Denver, and others have explained that it was imperative that the expedition should proceed to The Hague to carry out the original plan as far as possible. This will result in the formation of a permanent committee to sit at The Hague to adopt ways and means. The committee is to consist of a small number of persons from each of the neutral countries.

BEAUTIFUL FRENCH WOMEN

Whatever one's nationality, one can admire the beauty and comeliness of the women of France. One of their chief charms is their delicate white skins. French women have known about corylok and have used it for years. It is a harmless vanishing face enamel and is now prepared and sold in most American drug stores. It whitens and smoothes the skin. Get the prepared corylok in original ounce packages, in which the formula for home application is also enclosed. French women also use a natural method to darken and gloss their faded, streaked or gray hair, namely: Sulsage (medicinal mixture of sulphur and sage.)—Advertisement.

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GERMAN RELIEF UNION ELECTS.

John Wiegand Is Elected President of Organization.

The fifth anniversary of the German Beneficial Union will be celebrated January 15, when the following newly-elected officers will be installed: John Wiegand, president; Frank Zakschefski, vice-president; Jacob Koehl, treasurer; William Kintz, conductor; Carl Mueller, warden; Frank Friedmann, William Kintz, Christian Sotorius, trustees; Valentine Kaufmann, deputy trustee.

How to Prevent Croup.

Every effort should be made to prevent the attacks by giving the child a light supper and plenty of fresh air at all times. The child should be warmly clad when out of doors. Especially the feet should be well protected and under no circumstances should the child be allowed to remain with wet or cold feet. Then watch for the first symptom, hoarseness, and give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy at once and the attack may be warded off. This remedy is a favorite with the mothers of croupy children and can always be depended upon. It is pleasant and safe to take. Obtainable everywhere. — Advertisement.

SHEET METAL WORKERS ELECT.

Local union No. 156, Sheet Metal Workers, has re-elected E. J. Motherwell as president, Charles C. Seib, secretary, and Charles B. Rundell, financial secretary. Other officers chosen were: John F. Rissing, treasurer; George Huebner, conductor; Charles Mooney, warden; D. W. Long, William Heine and J. C. Hinder, trustees.

HOW THE HOSIERY INDUSTRY GROWS

Big Advance in America Since War, Says Commerce Bureau.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 27.—In a study of the hosiery industry of the United States, just completed by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, department of commerce, it is pointed out that since the war started there has been a great increase in the duction of hosiery in this country, and that even before the war began there had been a steady increase of about 15 per cent. annually for a number of years. One of the most noticeable results of the increased home production before the war started was the rapid decrease in imports. From 1909 to 1915 imports of cotton hosiery fell off frm $6,400,000 to $3,000,000, or over 50 per cent.

This report by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce is entitled "The Hosiery Industry" and is the second of a series of studies of the clothing industry, the first of which dealt with muslin underwear. The reports are prepared by the cost of production division of the bureau and are intended primarily for the assistance of congress when tariff legislation is being considered, the work of the bureau in this respect corresponding to that of a tariff board. The original intention in preparing the report on hosiery was to make a corresponding study of conditions in Europe, but the war rendered such an undertaking out of the question.

The report as it stands, however, serves the very useful purpose of demonstrating that the hosiery industry in this country is in a pretty sound and healthy condition. One of the most important reasons assigned for this satisfactory state of affairs is the excellence of American seamless hosiery. This style of footwear is distinctively American. The knitting machines used in its manufacture have been brought to their present state of efficiency by American inventors, and their use is confined largely to this country. No less than 90 per cent. of the hosiery manufactured here is seamless. Low cost of manufacture is the main reason for its position in the market.

The more expensive hosiery is full-fashioned. That is, it is made of shaped or fashioned pieces which are closed by seaming and looping. It has a seam "up the back." While higher priced, it is more likely to fit perfectly. There was a time when all such hosiery came from abroad, and today practically all imported hose is full-fashioned. It is the product upon which European knitters concentrated while Americans were perfecting the seamless article. Of late years, however, the American mills have pushed forward even in this line. Between 1909 and 1914 the imports of hosiery fell off heavily, partly on account of the growing popularity of the cheaper seamless product, but partly on account of the fact that the American full-fashioned stocking was brought quite up to the level of its foreign rival. The cheaper full-fashioned cotton hosiery forms the bulk of the imports at present. The only silk hosiery purchased from abroad now is the very high-class expensive stocking demanded for special occasions.

The study just completed by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, was made to include 73 establishments, located in 16 states. Of these mills, 55 earned manufacturing profits, and 18 had losses. The average manufacturing profit on net sales for 6.66 per cent., and the average manufacturing profit on capital employed in business was 11.56 per cent.

For the Family Medicine Chest

Green Bay, Wis., Mrs. Wm. F. Bubolz says: "I always use Foley's Honey and Tar for our children as it quickly breaks up their colds with no bad after effects, and they like to take it."

In this season of coughs, colds and croup, every family medicine chest should be supplied with a good cough medicine that can be relied upon when needed.

Such a family cough syrup is Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. This standard medicine has been on the market for years and in many sections was found in every home in the days when doctors were not so handy and when money was scarcer.

Foley's Honey and Tar Compound is an excellent medicine for coughs, colds, raw or inflamed throat, hoarseness, tightness and soreness of the chest, croup and whooping cough. It is an absolutely safe remedy, containing only healing ingredients, and free from any harmful drugs.

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Mrs. A. Toussaint, Whitesboro, N. Y., says, "Chamberlain's Tablets are excellent for stomach troubles and biliousness." Mrs. Toussaint speaks from experience in the use of these tablets. Obtainable everywhere. — Advertisement.

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Established 1860

Between the Holidays
Come Rare Saving Chances in
The READY-TO-WEAR

Now that the Christmas rush is over let us get back to normal conditions and consider the apparel proposition. If you have not provided for all your needs now is the time to buy and save.

The Last of the Coats to Go
At Much Less Than Value

Styles that represent the latest dictates of fashion. You've had many excellent offerings in women's coats from us this season but the climax in value-giving is reached in the present sale. These coats combine good material with good workmanship, and they are priced from one-quarter to one-third less than regular.

AFTER XMAS IN THE WAISTS

A splendid lot of waists in Georgette crepes and lace combinations. Silk nets with gold lace and velvet, plaids and stripes in silk taffeta; $5 and $6 values, for $3.95

Rich, high class blouses in all the favored materials and combinations; choice creations that were priced from $10.00 to $28.50, now one-fourth less.

SEPARATE SKIRTS
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We always offer the best skirt values to be had. We always show the newest and dressiest styles and here are some that are exceptionally good at less than regular value.

$5.00 for Skirts That Were $ 6.00 and $ 6.50
$6.00 for Skirts That Were $ 7.50 and $ 8.50
$8.50 for Skirts That Were $10.00 and $12.50

THE FINAL WIND-UP IN SUITS

Offerings that will give a lot of women a chance to add a new suit to their wardrobe for wearing now and far into the Spring as the suits we show are most recent styles.

All fur-trimmed suits that were $25.00 to $45.00, now half price.

A choice lot of stylish and serviceable suits in plain tailored effects, now $10.00.

All velvet, corduroy, broadcloth, gabardines and novelty cloth suits, which were from $50.00 to $65.00, now in one lot at $25.00.

Dancing Frocks and Evening Dresses

Beautiful new creations in gowns for dancing and evening wear in pretty shades, handsomely made and daintily trimmed; a good assortment of them priced at one-fourth less than former prices.

ALL HOLIDAY GOODS AT LESS

Our holiday trade was immense but for those who have forgotten some friend there are still some choice things left which can be bought for less.

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SHOP AND RAILROAD NEWS

CHARLES J. RULO IN GOOD POSITION

Receives Appointment as Special Agent of Detroit Division of Wabash.

Chief Special Agent G. S. Ward, of the Wabash, announces that Charles J. Rulo has been appointed special agent of the Detroit division, with headquarters at Detroit, vice M. Quinn, resigned, the appointment becoming effective January 1.

This announcement will come as a pleasure to Mr. Rulo's many Fort Wayne friends, for they look upon the office he assumes as an important one which may lead to something better. Mr. Rulo has been connected in some way or other with police work for the past fifteen or eighteen years and is regarded a most competent and effective officer. He was connected with the police department of the Pennsylvania about fifteen years ago, serving as a patrolman from August 1, 1900 to December 16, 1901. On the latter date he was called to the Eastern division as a lieutenant, but his family objecting to a residence in Pittsburg, he came back here in two or three months and took special service in the Pennsylvania freight house. In March, 1902, he resigned and took a place as plain clothes man in the city department under Chief Homer Geraline. After a service on the city force several years, he resigned and took employment at the Fort Wayne Electric works, where he had charge of one of the departments. About a year ago he retired from that position and was engaged for awhile in special detective work in Detroit. When Mr. Rulo was on the Pennsylvania police force, G. S. Ward was an inspector of police on the Pennsylvania with headquarters at Pittsburg.

GAVE THE BOYS THE SLIP.

E. Miner, of the Pennsylvania planing mills; William McKeeman, of the east car shops, and Robert Larimer, traffic manager for the W. K. Noble Machine works, with their families, were at Hoagland, Ind., Saturday to attend the wedding of Guy Randolph and Miss Irva D. Crim, which took place at the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Emrick. There were many young people at the wedding and they arranged to make things warm for the bride and groom, but were outwitted. Soon after the wedding supper Mr. and Mrs. Randolph got in an automobile secretly and were driven to Hoagland, where they caught an interurban car for Fort Wayne and later took passage on the N. Y. C. to Jackson, Mich., where they will spend their honeymoon with an aunt of the groom. The couple will reside in Kentucky.

THIRTY-FIVE YEARS ON THE ROAD

Thirty-five years ago today Passenger Conductor M. H. Dochterman, of the Lake Erie and Western, began his career as a trainman and the greater portion of the service has been in the employ of the Lake Erie and Western, having a run at present on passenger trains 38 and 39 in and out of Fort Wayne. A remarkable feature of Mr. Dochterman's career was freedom from suspension on account of violation of the rules. He was never even "called upon the carpet," as the boys call it when up for reprimand. The first six or seven years of train service rendered by Mr. Dochterman was on the Whitewater branch of the Big Four system.

AUXILIARY INSTALLED OFFICERS.

Lodge No. 436, Ladies' Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, installed officers last Wednesday afternoon at one of the best meetings of the winter. The new officers are: Mrs. Carrie Webber, past president; Ella Foster, president; Mrs. Obenchain, vice president; Emma DeVilbiss, secretary; Sarah Miller, treasurer; Mrs. Engle, conductress; Mrs. Hayes, chaplain; Mrs. New, warden; Mrs. Hilker, inner guard; Mrs. Aimes, outer guard; Mrs. Carrie Webber, delegate to the grand lodge, and Mrs. McCormick, alternate delegate. The lodge is in a prosperous condition.

SHEET METAL WORKERS.

No. 156, Sheet Metal Workers, held its annual election, re-electing a number of the officers. The new roster is as follows: E. J. Motherwell, president; Charles Rodeman, vice president; C. C. Seib, recording secretary; Charles B. Rundell, financial secretary; John E. Rissing, treasurer; George Huebner, conductor; Charles Mooney, warden; D. W. Long, William Heine and J. C. Hinder, trustees. These officers were immediately installed and the meeting closed with a banquet in the hall, 610 Calhoun street.

Gave Janitor a Present

The sixteen or eighteen men employed in the car shop offices, the valuation office and the piecework pricemakers' office at the Pennsylvania shops on Lafayette street, contributed not a little to the enjoyment of Christmas at the home of John Steinhauser, janitor at those offices. They gave him a box containing a nice fat chicken, a lot of cranberries and other apppurtenances of a Christmas dinner, including a liberal supply of candy for the "kiddies," a pair of warmly lined leather gloves, a necktie and a box of handkerchiefs. Mr. Steinhauser was greatly surprised and much pleased.

WESTERN GAS WORKS BUSY.

Recent contracts have given the Western Gas Works all the work they need to keep them busy several months. The latest order covered the furnishing of all the iron and steel used in the construction of a gas plant at Canal Dover, for which the American Coal and By-product company, of Chicago, is the contractor. Over $200,000 are involved in this contract. Another contract of considerable importance is the construction of a $50,000 gas plant at Halifax, Novia Scotia.

HAND BADLY BURNED.

While adjusting the machinery at the Fairfield picture show yesterday, Charles Grimes, the operator of the machinery, had his left hand badly burned when it came in contact with a live wire. The burn extended also to the wrist and is of a character that will disable the young man for a week or two. Joseph Seagraff will operate the machine during the absence of Mr. Grimes.

CHARLEY SZINK RECOVERS.

Charles Szink, of the Pennsylvania blacksmith shop, who sustained some bad cuts on his forehead and temporary concussion of the brain last October, when he was struck by a piece of a locomotive spring band, resumed work this morning. For a while it was feared he would lose the sight of one eye, but happily that danger has passed.

ED DARTNELL HERE.

W. E. Dartnell, traveling auditor of the Pennsylvania, is in the city today on business for the department. For a number of years Mr. Dartnell was employed in a clerical capacity in the Pennsylvania offices in Fort Wayne and knows everybody there. He is always a welcome visitor.

CHANGE AT STORAGE PLANT.

J. E. Collins, who resigned as manager of the creamery department of the Sherman White Cold Storage company, has taken the management of the Maumee Dairy company, at the corner of West Main and Fulton streets. Mr. Rose, of Chicago, has been transferred here to succeed Mr. Collins.

G. R. & I. WIRES REPAIRED.

The G. R. & I. telegraph line, which was out of commission as a result of the storm Friday night and Saturday, is now in good working order again. Eleven poles were broken down and the wires were broken at several places by the heavy coating of ice upon them.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

Frank Wisniewski, of the Pennsylvania blacksmith shop, is sick and off duty.

Engineer W. E. Mungovan, of the G. R. & I., is sick and off duty.

H. Gumbert, an upholsterer at the Pennsylvania shops, is sick and off duty.

Pennsylvania Machinist Felix Logan is sick and off duty.

After a week's illness C. H. Westerman reported for work at the Pennsylvania pipe shop this morning.

F. E. Kerns, who was sick ten days, reported at the Pennsylvania erecting shop this morning.

N. E. Work and O. S. Adams, who had been sick, reported at the Pennsylvania machine shop this morning.

Henry Lageman, clerk in the Pennsylvania store room, is absent from his desk today on account of sickness.

Trainmaster C. E. Wells, of the Wabash, was in the city yesterday and last night.

Frank J. Ruch, who had been sick, resumed duty at the Pennsylvania pipe shop this morning.

Mrs. Frank Reuneman, wife of the Nickel Plate special man, is sick at the family home.

Operator C. E. Ridgeway, of the N. Y. C., spent Christmas and Sunday at his home in Tecumseh, Mich.

G. F. Wise, night engine dispatcher at the Pennsylvania round house, is taking a holiday lay off.

Machinist Clarence Seibold, of the Pennsylvania, spent Sunday with relatives and friends in Huntington.

Pennsylvania Engineers William Beck and Michael Leger are sick and off duty.

Fred Speckman and Carl Rockstrah, clerks at the Bass foundry office, are sick and off duty.

Orin Wyer, assistant yard foreman at the Bass foundry, resumed work this morning, after being sick a few days.

Gus Degitz, foreman of No. 1 car wheel room at the Bass foundry, spent a few hours in the country, Saturday, returning with seven rabbits.

On account of the serious condition of his wife, who may have to go to the hospital, Frank Oswald, night foreman at the Bass foundry, is off duty.

Mrs. Holzworth, wife of Machinist A. A. Holzworth, was called to Chicago today by news of the death of a relative.

C. S. Hoffman, clerk in the G. R. & I. division engineer's office, has returned from Fostoria, where he spent the holiday with relatives.

H. E. Franke, clerk for Commercial Agent E. O. Wagner, of the G. R. & I., is on duty again after a short visit with his mother at Constantine, Mich.

W. R. Hapner has resumed his duties at the desk in the office of Star Union Agent H. M. Quicksell, after a visit with his folks in Chicago.

George Hickler is absent from his duties in the Pennsylvania blacksmith shop on account of the death of a relative.

Night Station Master C. E. Bolens has resumed his duties at the Pennsylvania depot, after a brief absence on account of sickness.

A. E. Stapleford, cashier in the Nickel Plate freight offices at Stony Island, spent the week-end with friends and relatives in this city.

At the meeting of the Fort Wayne Federation of Labor tonight, President Shaw will announce the appointment of the various committees.

Oliver Itskin, who recently completed a term in the United States navy, has taken employment as a fireman with the Nickel Plate.

J. Gans, of the Pennsylvania car machine shop, left Friday evening for Florida, where he will spend two weeks with friends.

Fred A. Smith, chief clerk in the office of Superintendent B. N. Williams, of the Nickel Plate railroad, and Mrs. Smith spent Sunday with relatives in Green Springs, O.

Foreman F. A. Opatz, of the Pennsylvania blacksmith shop, and Mrs. Opatz, entertained their daughter, Mrs. J. H. Thomas, of Huntington, on Christmas.

Fred Eggiman, of the Buckeye Steel Casting company, of Columbus, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Eggiman, corner of East Wayne and Begue streets, over Christmas.

Ticket Agent Fred C. Eggers, of the Wabash railroad, with Mrs. Eggers and son, Delmar, spent Sunday at Woodburn as guests in the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. G. Lueders.

Joseph P. Gans, a helper in the Pennsylvania shops, and living at 1217 Spy Run avenue, left last night for New Orleans, La., and Jacksonville, Fla., on a business and pleasure trip.

E. K. Allen, formerly connected with the shipping department of the Fort Wayne Electric works and later engaged in real estate business in the city, is here visiting friends. Mr. Allen now resides in Elyria, Ohio.

Victor Colmey, a student of the Randolph-Macon college, who is here to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Colmey, went to Dunkirk, Ohio, today to visit his uncle a few days.

David Ryan, a machinist in the air brake department of the Pennsylvania round house, will be off duty a few days as a result of an injured eye. A hot cinder lodged against the center of the eyeball, burning it most painfully.

O. J. Farnan, Pennsylvania machinist, sustained injuries to his left hand Friday, which will disable him for a while. A glancing blow from a hammer landed on his hand, bruising and cutting the flesh.

No. 305, Brotherhood of Electric Workers, has decided to keep its charter open during the month of January and to make a vigorous effort to get a lot of new members. The union meets at 610 Calhoun street the second and fourth Wednesday of each month.

Paul Sarver, son of Boiler Foreman B. F. Sarver, is at the hospital, where he underwent a surgical operation for an effection of the nose. The operation was not of a difficult or serious character and the young man will speedily recover. He is a student at the High school.

Foreman Joseph Slater, of the Bass blacksmith shop, and his wife, had as guests during Christmas, Dr. and Mrs. George F. Slater and sons, Joe and John, of Chicago. John Slater, the youngest of the children, was christened at Trinity church yesterday, a ceremony in which the grandparents and parents were alike interested.

Alvin Tennant, employed in the Nickel Plate auditor's office at Cleveland, returned there last night after spending the week-end here with friends. Mr. Tennant's father, J. G. Tennant, formerly was traveling freight agent out of this city for the Nickel Plate, and now holds a similar position at Cleveland. He also spent the week-end here.

PARK LEVY SHOULD NOT BE SEPARATE

Comptroller Believes the Present System Cause of Trouble.

City Comptroller William C. Baade believes that the constantly strained situation between the park board and the balance of the city government and the irritating financial questions that are frequently arising from it would be removed if the tax levy for park purposes were not separated from the general levy for city purposes. Comptroller Baade's opinion is that the financial aspects of the disagreement would not be presented if the park board law did not raise a sort of barrier between the park board and the balance of the municipal government, and that the board's financial problems would be easier of solution if that department were made, as it formerly was, essentially a part of the administration. The board this year submitted a budget for its annual expenditures, just as other departments did, but its tax funds are its own. When it requires more money than its levy produces there is a problem for solution in supplying it. The comptroller believes that if the park board's needs were considered it relation to the other city finances matters would be made much easier. The park board and the board of works are still apart on the question of paying the $800 paving assessment against Sieling park which was assumed when the property was taken over by the park department. The board of works refuses to assume the indebtedness and the park board will probably at the next meeting ask the council to pass an ordinance appropriating the money needed.

SNOW IS REMOVED DOWN TOWN.

The city street-cleaning department, with all the men it has been able to procure, has been waging war for two days on the snow in the down town district. After at first showing an indisposition to co-operate as in former years, the Traction company officials agreed to furnish flat cars to remove the snow from the streets. Cars were furnished and at 12:30 o'clock Monday morning the gangs of shovelers were put to work by Street Superintendent Herman Strodel, who had wanted 200 men Sunday, but was able to get a much smaller number. There were forty applicants for jobs and the Rescue Mission and the "bum" room at police headquarters were visited for more.

PARK BOARD ROUTINE.

The park board had up for consideration Monday afternoon the final hearing upon the assessment rolls for work under boulevard resolutions 8 and 13 and the acceptance of the work. No. 8 was sidewalks, grading park strips and planting trees on the north side of Rudisill boulevard from Calhoun street to South Wayne avenue and No. 13 for sidewalks, curb and gutters on both sides of Rudisill from Calhoun street to Piqua avenue.

WILL HOLD WATCH PARTY.

The members of the Saxonia Singing society, with their families and invited friends, will hold a watch party at its hall next Friday night to give a welcome to 1916.

THE DEATHS.

CORBAT.

Miss Mary Corbat, aged 21 years, died at St. Joseph's hospital Sunday afternoon following an operation which she had undergone for appendicitis. She

MARY CORBAT.

had made her home with an uncle, Frank Corbat, seven miles west of the city. She was born and reared in Aboit township and attended school at St. Patrick's church at Arcola. Six brothers survive her, Frank, Joseph, Julian, Albert, James and Robert Corbat.

Funeral services Wednesday morning at 9:15 o'clock at the residence of the uncle and at 10 o'clock at St. Patrick's Catholic church at Arcola. Interment at the Catholic cemetery.

M'CUMSEY.

Frances L. McCumsey, aged sixty-nine years, wife of A. M. McCumsey, of 225 East DeWald street, died Saturday at the family home following an illness of ten years due to complications. She was born in Michigan, December 13, 1846, and was a member of Simpson M. E. church. Besides the husband she is survived by one son, W. H. McCumsey, at home and a sister, Mrs. Kate Snyder, of Grand Rapids, Mich.

Funeral services Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence, Rev. H. L. Overdeer officiating. Interment at Lindenwood.

COHOGAN.

Mrs. Mary Cohogan died at the family home, 819 Erie street, Saturday evening following a short illness due to pneumonia. She was the wife of Alonza Cohogan, to whom she was married on September 11, 1911. The deceased was born and reared in Fort Wayne and had attained the age of 54 years. Besides the husband she is survived by the following sisters: Mrs. Charles Feltz and Mrs. Elizabeth Potter, of Fort Wayne; Mrs. Frances Allgeier, of Grand Rapids; Mrs. Lena Lupkin, of New Haven. Mrs. Cohogan was a member of St. Mary's Catholic church.

Funeral services Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock at the residence and at 9 o'clock at St. Mary's Catholic church.

VOLZ.

Mrs. Marguerite Volz, widow of the late Anthony Volz, died at midnight Saturday at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. John Schmitt, 2927 Hanna street, at the advanced age of 81 years. Death followed an illness of two years due to senility. Mrs. Volz was a resident of Fort Wayne for thirty years and was a member of St. Peter's Catholic church and of the Christian Mother's society of the same congregation.

Surviving she leaves the following children: Jacob Volz, of Fort Wayne; Frank Volz, of Chicago; Mrs. Joseph Shickler, of Chicago; Louis Volz, of Columbus, Ohio; Mrs. George Beckler, Mrs. John Schmitt and Mrs. Joseph Labba, all of Fort Wayne. Fifteen grandchildren also survive her.

Funeral services Wednesday morning at 8:30 o'clock at the late residence and at 9 o'clock at St. Peter's Catholic church.

ELLIS.

Mrs. Alice M. Ellis, wife of N. Ellis, of 327 West DeWald street, died at the family residence at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon following a four months' illness. The deceased was born in Michigan but came to Fort Wayne when she was five years of age. The father, S. J. Hartshorn, for many years conducted a candy store on Calhoun street. She was 47 years of age.

Besides the husband she is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Frances Bartel, of Fort Wayne, and Miss Cora Hartshorn, of Grand Junction, Colo.; two daughters, Misses LaRena and LaVon Ellis; the father, S. J. Hartshorn.

Funeral services Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence, 327 West DeWald street. Services and interment private.

FUNERAL NOTICES

Glck—Funeral services for Henry Glck will be held Tuesday noon at the parlors of Schone and Ankenbruck. Interment at Lindenwood.

NEW YEAR'S RESERVATIONS
should be made now. Come to the Wayne Hotel, the amusement center. 27-4t

Consumption is most common between the ages of twenty-five and thirty.

NOTICE TO PARENTS!
On January 1st, the price of The Book Knowledge will raise $10.00. Take advantage of the present price of the set, that gives lasting joy and education to your children. $2.00 per month, or discount for cash. E. Peters, agt. Phone 1684 Blue.

CARRANZA MEN IN CONTROL.

Have Taken Over Civil Government in Juarez.

El Paso, Tex., Dec. 27.—Control of the civil government of Juarez by the Mexican de facto government began today with the installation of officials, inspection of archives and establishment of official bank accounts. The mustering out of Villa soldiers also began.

Jose Cantu, brother of Governor Cantu, of Lower California, said today Governor Cantu turned over his entire organization to the government yesterday.

INDIANA COAL MEN OBJECT.

Rates on Coal to West Unjust, They Contend.

Washington, Dec. 27.—Illinois and Indiana coal operators associations today complained to the inter-state commerce commission that Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe and other roads' rates on coal in car lots from Indiana and Illinois mines to Wisconsin, Minnesota and Iowa points are unreasonable and unjust compared with rates from other points.

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Roasted Rio Coffee ... 12c and 15c lb.
Extra Santos Coffee ... 21 and 25c lb.
Arbuckles Roasted Coffee .... 19c lb.
Early June Peas, can 9c
Extra Sugar Corn, can 9c
Pork and Beans, large can 10c
Extra quality Cocoa ..... 28c lb.
Buckwheat and Pancake Flour 9c
Seeded Raisins, 3 pkgs. 25c
Fancy California Citron ..... 25c lb.
Evaporated Milk, can ..... 4c and 8c
Macaroni, large pkg., 3 for 25c
Extra Full Cream Cheese ..... 24c lb.
Wisconsin Limburger Cheese ... 22c lb.
Fresh shipment Lake Erie Grey Bass and Pickerel for Tuesday ..... 8c and 12c lb.
Fresh Baltimore Oysters, can 28c
S. & H. Green Trading Stamps given is like getting interest on the money you spend.

The Hoax Ship Minnesota Being Towed Into San Francisco Harber

Boilers disabled, the Hill liner Minnesota was towed into port at San Francisco, where United States officials immediately went aboard to conduct an investigation into the alleged mystery of the exploded boiler tubes. For over a week the ship was the topic of news due to the refusal of Capt. Garlick to make known the reason for her return to port after starting for England. His refusal and the subsequent mystery was due, it is said, to direct orders from Port Supt. Wiley, of the Great Northern Steamship company.

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THE MARKETS

TWELFTH DISTRICT PRICES.

Grain, Hay and Feed.

Corn—Yellow, 75c per 100 lbs.
Wheat—$1.10 bu.
Rye—75c bu.
Clover seed—$13.00@16.00 bu.
Timothy Seed—$2.50@3.50 bu.
Oats—35c bu.

RETAIL STREET MARKET.

Eggs—Strictly fresh (candled), 36@39c doz.
Butter—Elgin creamery 32c lb; country butter, 30c lb.
Poultry—Chickens, 12@14c lb.
Ducks—Dressed, 16@18c lb.
Chickens—Dressed, 18c lb.
Turkeys—19@21c lb.
Dressed Turkeys—28@31c lb.
Lard—11@14c lb.
Apples—50@75c bu.
Potatoes—60@90c bu.

Wholesale Barr Street Market.

Wheat—$1.19 bu.
Corn—58c bu.
Oats—36c bu.
Barley—Nec bu.
Eggs—32@35c bu.
Chickens—11@14c lb.
Dressed Pork—$8.00@8.25.
Butter—26@28c lb.
Hogs—$6.25.
Geese—12@13c lb.
Turkeys—17@19c lb.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

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(Corrected Daily by E. A. Walker).

HOGS—
150 to 200 lbs $6.25
130 to 140 lbs 6.00
110 to 120 lbs ..... 5.00@5.50

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

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Wheat—$1.19 bu.
Rye—85c bu.
Oats—29@30c bu.
Corn—55c bu
Barley—New, 60c bu.
Flour—Winter wheat straight (Hungarian), $6.20@6.80 per bbl; winter wheat patent (Silver Dollar), $6.80@7.40 bbl; spring wheat patent (our own), $7.20@7.80 bbl.
Little Turtle Flour—$6.00@6.60 bbl.
Rye—Pure Rye Flour, $5.80@6.40 bbl.
Graham Flour—$5.60@6.20 bbl.
Pumpernickel Flour—$6.40@7.00 bbl.
Bran—$24.00@28.00 per ton.
Shorts—$28.00@30.00 per ton.
Middlings—$30.00@32.00 per ton.
Chopfeed—$26.00@36.00 per ton.
Cornmeal—Bolted, $2.00@2.20 per cwt; coarse, $1.90@2.10 per cwt.
Cracked Corn—$1.90@2.10 per cwt.
Screenings—$1.70 cwt.
Small Wheat—2.00 per cwt.

MAYFLOWER MILLS.

Wheat—$1.21 bu.
Corn—55c bu.
Oats—35c bu.
Barley—70c bu.
Flour—Winter wheat (straight) $6.20@6.60 bbl; Newvene flour, $7.00@7.40 bbl; Silver Dust flour, $6.40@7.00 bbl; rye flour, $6.00@6.60 bbl.
Rye—85c bu.
Chopfeed—$35.00@38.00 ton.
Middlings—$27.00@28.00 ton.
Bran—$25.00@26.00 ton.

GLOBE MILLS QUOTATIONS.
(Corrected by Paul H. W. Trier).

Wheat—$1.19 bu; corn, 55c bu; oats, 30c bu; rye, 80c bu; barley, 60c bu; Jumbo poultry feed, $35.00@38.00 ton; salt, per bbl, $1.85.
Selling prices: Bleached straight winter wheat flour (Holiday), $6.20@6.40 bbl; Gold Lace, $6.00@6.20; Graham flour, $6.10@6.50; Pumpernickel flour, $7.00 bbl; bran, $32.00@35.00 ton; cornmeal (bolted), $2.00@2.50 cwt; cornmeal (coarse), $1.20@3.00 cwt.

HIDES, WOOL, ROOTS, ETC.
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Hides—Green, 15c lb; cured light and heavy, 19@20c lb; green calfskin, 16c lb; cured calfskin, 19@20c lb.
Old Rubber Boots and Shoes—8c lb.
Copper—14@16c lb.
Zinc—9@10c lb.
Horsehides—$3.00@5.00.
Rags—$1.75 cwt.
Wild Ginseng Root—$7.00@8.00.
Golden Seal Root (dry)—$3.75@4.25.
Wool—No. 1 unwashed, 30@32c.

Maier Hide and Fur Co.

No. 1 cured hides—17@18c.
No. 1 green hides—15@16c.
No. 1 calfskin, cured—18@19c.
No. 1 calfskin, green—16@17c.
No. 1 horsehides—$4.25@5.00.
Pelts, according to quality, 50c to $2.00.
Wild Ginseng—$7.00@8.50.
Golden Seal—$3.50@4.00 lb.
Wool—30@32c.

Feed Quotations.
(Corrected by W. D. Henderson & Co).

Timothy Hay—$13.00@16.00.
Mixed Hay—$11.00@13.00.
Clover Hay—$8.00@10.00 ton.
Corn—56@61c bu.
Oats—New, 30@46c bu.
Barley—55@60c bu.
Rye—70c bu.
Timothy Seed—$2.50@2.75 bu.

PRODUCE QUOTATIONS.

Ackerman-Wiener Company.
(Corrected by G. M. Wiener).
Butter—Prices given on application.

Political Announcements.

To the Editor of The Sentinel:

Please announce the name of C. G. Vondere. as candidate for county recorder on the democratic ticket, subject to the democratic primary. 11-15-tf

MARTIN'S PLUMBING SHOP
X PLUMBERS —and— HEATERS X
Hanna & Buchanan.

Table Butter—23@25c lb.
Eggs—Strictly fresh (candled), 38@35c doz.
Potatoes—65@75c bu.

Bayer Brothers' Quotations.
(Corrected Daily by George Crouse. Subject to chance without notice).

Cranberries (Jerseys)—$8.50 per bbl; Howe's, $9.00 per bbl.
Florida grape fruit—$3.50.
Isle of Pine Grape Fruit—$3.25@4.00.
Eggs—Strictly fresh (candled), 32c doz; candled, 31c doz; current receipts, 30c doz.
New Potatoes—60@70c bu.
Apples—Fancy No. 1, $3.00 bbl; medium No. 2, 20@30c bu.
Celery—25c bunch.
Onions—No. 1 yellow, 60c; No. 2 yellow, 30c.
Lemons—$3.50@4.50 box.
Oranges—Valencias, $5.25.
Florida—$3.75.

CITY SCALES.

Hay—Receipts, 11 loads; $12.00@13.00 ton.
Corn—Receipts, 5 loads; 58@60c bu.
Oats—Receipts, 4 loads; 35@37c bu.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Chicago, Dec. 27.—Wheat, No. 2, red, $1.27½@1.28½; No. 3, red, $1.15@1.24; No. 2, hard, $1.27½@1.26½; No. 3, hard, $1.19@1.21¾.

The close was weak at the same as Friday's finish to 1⅛@1¼c down, with Dec. at $1.27¼, and May $1.26¾@1.27.

Corn, No. 2 yellow, old, 75½c; No. yellow, new, 69@71½c; No. 4 white, new.

The closet was weak at ⅝c to ¾c net advance.

69@71¼c.

Oats, No. 3, white, 42¾@43½c.; standard, 44@45¾c; rye, No. 2, 98c; barley, 64@73c; timothy, $5.50@8.25; clover, $11.00@19.00; pork, $16.35; lard, $9.62; ribs, $9.50@10.00.

Range of Prices for the Day.
Chicago, Dec. 24, 1915.

	Open.	Hign.	Low.	Close.
Wheat:				
Dec	127⅝	128¾	126⅝	127¼
May	128¼	129	126⅝	126⅞
Corn:				
Dec.	73⅜	75¼	73¼	74
May	76⅜	76¼	76½	77½
Oats:				
Dec.	43½	44½	43⅜	43¾
May	47¼	48¼	47¼	47½
Pork:				
Jan.	19.10	19.25	18.85	18.85
May	19.20	19.25	18.85	18.85
Lard:				
Jan.	9.80	9.80	9.72	9.72
May	10.07	10.10	10.00	10.00
Ribs:				
Jan.	10.20	10.22	10.00	10.00
May	10.55	10.57	10.35	10.35

Chicago Cash Grain.

Chicago, Dec. 27.—Profit taking by holders more than wiped out an advance today in the wheat market. After opening at ⅛c to ⅞c advance, with Dec. at $1.27¾ to $1.28, and May at $1.28¼ to $1.29, prices receded to slightly below Friday's finish. Colder weather gave firmness to corn. Opening prices, which varied from ⅛c off to ¼c up, were followed by a slight sag and then a substantial advance all around.

Oats kept in line with corn.

Higher prices on hogs carried provisions up grade.

Toledo Closing Prices.

Toledo, O., Dec. 27.—Wheat cash—Dec. $1.30; May, $1.34¾.

Corn, cash; new, 76c; old, 81c; Dec. 76c; May, 79½c; July, 80c.

Oats, cash, 47c; Dec. 47c; May, 50½c.

Rye, cash, 97c.

Toledo Seed Market.

Toledo, Dec. 27.—Wheat cash and Dec. $1.30; May, $1.34¾; clover seed, prime cas hand Dec., $12.25; February, $12.35; March, $12.10; alsike prime cash and Dec., $3.90; February, $3.95; March, $4.00.

New York Grain and Provisions.

New York, Dec. 27.—Flour firmly held, spring patents, $5.75@6.25; winter patents, $5.60@5.80; winter straights, $5.45@5.75; Kansas straights, $5.60@5.75.

New York, Dec. 27.—Raw sugar quiet; centrifugal, $4.52@4.77; molasses, $3.75@4.00; refined quiet cut loaf, $6.85; crushed, $6.75; mould A, $5.40; cubes, $6.20; XXXX powdered, $6.10; fine granulated, $5.95; Diamond A, $5.95; confectioners A, $5.85; No. 1, $5.70; futures, lower.

WANTED.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP.

FREEMAN'S School of Cutting and Dressmaking. School every weekday but Saturday. Night class opens Nov. 8. Pupils admitted any time. Patterns cut to measure. For particulars please call 808 Madison street. 9-7-tf

WANTED—Young girl for light housework; no washing; to go home nights; apply mornings, 910 W. Berry street, Flat No. 4, 2d Floor. 27-tf

WANTED—Girls, Apply Dudlo Manufacturing Co., Wall street, at once. d27-3t

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 704 W. Wayne street. 27-1t

EITHER SEX

WANTED—Good elegible pen writers, male or female. Apply Weil Bros. Co., 824 E. Columbia street. 27-1t

MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—By two young ladies, board and room in nice private home; or rooms where they can get some of their own light meals. Something permanent. South side or central. Both employed in offices. References given. Address A. C., Sentinel. 27-2t

WANTED—Watch, clock and jewelry repairing at reduced prices. Wayne Littlefield, jewelry store, successor to Dallas F. Green, 208 West Berry street. 7-17-tf

WANTED—All parties leaving city call South Side Storage and Van Co. Phone 7315-7615; will give free estimates on packing and crating household goods. 12-22-2m

WANTED—We are now ready to make out your 1916 auto license applications. We furnish all blanks and give any information regarding the motor vehicle law. L. J. Libbing & Co., 205 East Main. Phone 920. 11-25-tf

BOB SLED—Holds 12 couples, for hire. 2313 Savannah. 27-tf

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

East Buffalo Market.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 27.—Hogs—Receipts today, 8,000; shipments today, 3,800; shipments to New York today, 3,800; receipts yesterday, 6,400; shipments yesterday, 2,660; shipments to New York yesterday, 2,660. Official to New York Saturday, $5.70; strong, medium and heavy, $6.75@6.85; yorkers, $6.75; pigs and lights, $6.25@6.50; roughs, $6.00; stags, $4.50@5.00.

Cattle—Dull; 10c to 25c lower; steers, $8.50@9.00; butchers, $7.00@7.50; fat cows, $4.50@6.50; heifers, $5.00@7.00; bulls, $4.00

Sheep, 7,600; higher. Lambs, $10.40@10.40; yearlings, $8.00@9.00; weathers, $6.75@7.00; ewes, $6.00@6.50.

Indianapolis Market.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 27.—Hogs—Receipts, 3,000; cattle, $4.50; calves, $1.00; sheep, $1.50.

Hogs—Best heavies, $6.55@6.80; medium and mixed, $6.55@6.65; good to choice lights, $6.55@6.60; common to good lights, $6.50@6.55; roughs, $5.50@6.25; bulk of sales, $6.55@6.60.

Pittsburg Market.

Pittsburg, Dec. 27.—Cattle, receipts, 1,100; 25c higher; top, $9.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 6,000; 25c higher; prime heavies, $6.85 to $6.90; mediums, $6.75 to $6.80; heavy yorkers, $6.70 to $6.75; light yorkers, $6.30 to $6.50; pigs, $6.00 to $6.25.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1,300; 50c higher; top sheep, $7.0; top lambs, $10.50.

Calves—$6.00; steady good to choice veals, $11.00.

Chicago Market.

Chicago, Dec. 27.—Hogs—Receits, 24,000; strong bulk, $6.10@6.55; lights, $5.75@6.45; heavy, $6.10@6.65; rough, $6.10@6.25; pigs, $4.75@5.90.

Cattle—Receipts, 19,000; easy steers, $6.00@9.90; western steers, $6.25@8.10; cows and heifers, $2.80@8.40; calves, $6.25@9.50.

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It will profit you in time and many times in pocketbook to read the advertisements before you leave home in the morning. All the stores are daily making their best offerings to The Sentinel readers. Some merchant is probably offering today an attractive assortment of just what you need.

Read the Advertisements Before you go down town

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—HOMES.

FOR RENT—202 East DeWald, modern. 3202 Broadway. 815 West Pontiac, modern. 2½ acres land, dwelling, stable and fruit trees, Lincoln highway. 711 West Berry street, modern. 1433 Taylor street, and garage; modern. SCHRADER & WILSON, Main and Court, first floor. 8-28-tf

FOR RENT—Seven-room house, with bath and light, 827 Huestis avenue. Phone 6538 red. 27-3t

FLATS.

FOR RENT—Modern lower flat, six rooms and bath, 711 East Jefferson. 11-8-tf

ROOMS.

FOR RENT—Furnished room; large; modern; electric lights, steam heat, soft water bath; four squares from business center; suitable for one or two gentlemen; references required. Phone 3251 black or 2014. 10-13-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room on second floor, with bath and steam heat. Apply at 343 East Lewis street. 8-9-tf

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms with barn, $12. 697 East Washington. 12-7-tf

Sheep—Receipts, 12,000; steady; wethers, $6.20@6.90; lambs, $7.0@9.60.

PRODUCE AND POULTRY.

Chicago Market.

Chicago, Dec. 27.—Buttery steady; creamery, 22½@33½c; eggs, unsettled; receipts, 2,328; firsts, 27½@28c; ordinary firsts, 26½@27c; at market cases included, 21½@27½c; potatoes higher; receipts, 25 cars; Michigan and Wisconsin white, 72@80c; Minnesota white, 75@80c; Ohios, 70@75c.

Poultry alive, higher; fowls, 11½; springs, 12c; turkeys, 16c.

New York Market.

New York, Dec. 27.—Butter unsettled; receipts 5,841; creamery extras, 92c; score, 34@34½c; creamery higher, scoring 35@35½c; firsts, 28½@33c.

Eggs, unsettled; receipts, 7,896; fresh gathered, extra fine, 34@35c; extra firsts, 32½@33c; firsts, 31@32c. Live poultry prices not settled. Dressed, firm, fresh killed chickens, 14½@27c; fowls, 12½@17c; turkeys, 23@25c.

THE DAY ON WALL STREET.

New York, Dec. 27.—Active trading in specialties particularly the war shares, was the feature of today's early market, some of the prominent copper issues gaining 1 to almost 2 points. U. S. Steel soon altered its leadership, however, blocks of 1,000 to 2,000 shares and later of 4,500 shares changing hands at 88⅛c, a maximum gain of almost a point over the close. Two points advances were scored by Baldwin locomotive, Studebaker, Westinghouse and Great Northern ore and New York Central.

Dealings in the first hour barely aggregated 200,000 shares despite the active movement in steel. Steel and Central receded moderately on realizing for profit and war shares were affected to some extent. Bonds were irregular, with marked heaviness in Anglo-French 5s, large blocks selling at 94¼c.

Rails took precedence in the final hour, with gains of 1 to over 2 points in such leaders as Central, Union Pacific, Northern Pacific and Reading. The closing was strong.

SOCIETY

Miss Helen Kline went to Cincinnati on Monday to attend a convention of Kindergarten teachers.

Miss Lois Connell, of Decatur, is visiting Miss Velma O'Connell, of East DeWald street, for a few days.

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A Country Surprise Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dammeyer entertained at their country home, which is five and a half miles south of the city, on Sunday, a jolly crowd of relatives and friends in honor of Mrs. Dammeyer's forty-fifth birth anniversary. The surprise was planned by the children, Clara and Will Dammeyer. The guests spent the evening playing various card games and at a later hour disposed of a delicious luncheon served by the hostess. There were present Mr. and Mrs. Gorgies Harries, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moellering, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Oetting, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Oetting, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fruechtenicht, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lange, Mr. and Mrs. John Lange, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Toenges, Miss Esther Toenges, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fortriede, Mr. and Mrs. William Oetting and family, Miss Clara Lange, Fred Harries, Paul Lange, Martin Fruechtenicht and Grandma Fruechtenicht.

FULTON FIRST, THEN MORAN.

Chicago, Dec. 27.—According to Tom Jones, manager of Jess Willard, the champion is willing to meet Frank Moran a few days after his bout with Fred Fulton, but Jones reiterated today his determination to carry out the agreement to have the Fulton match come first. Jones expects to start tonight for New Orleans with Tom Andrews, there to insist on the Fulton bout for March 4 or withdraw the champion.

All week and while they last
NO. 1 STEEL TRAPS 10c
$1.00 per dozen.

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HOMES.

FOR SALE—On paved street, close to Weisser Park, a beautiful 8-room modern house. Has soft water bath, water plumbing, combination lights, all finely papered. This house must be seen to be appreciated. Will sell, what it cost to build a year ago (from owner) only. Address 2938 Hanna street; phone 7482 Green.

FOR SALE—Seven rooms, bath and large garage, all new, modern improvements, inside and outside; no better location on south side; No. 2708 South Wayne avenue, second door south of Swayne avenue; lot 50 by 150 feet. Inquire at Nuttman & Co.'s bank, 123 East Main street. O. S. Hanna. 10-11-tf

FOR SALE—Being convenient to car line and modern, are the special features of a 6-room house on John street for $4,000.

DOUD & ELLIS,
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FOR SALE—Centrally located is the apartment house we have for sale at $8,000; good investment. Party leaving town.

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FOR SALE—Six-room house on Indiana avenue; good location for one employed at Electric works.

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FOR SALE—We will sell for $1,000 cash a 7-room modern house on Wells street.

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FOR SALE—Eight-room house, bath, lights, gas, both kinds of water. 1316 McClellan street. 10-31-tf

HOUSEHOLD GOODS.

FOR SALE—China cabinet and one sideboard at a bargain. Telephone 6373. 2936 Oliver. 12-13-tf

AUTOMOBILES.

FULL STOCK REPAIR PARTS FOR FORD CARS AT LOW PRICES—Our parts man has had six years' experience. He will advise you and help you select such parts as you need for your FORD. All repair parts, tops, windshields, wheels, etc. Brosius Auto Co., 329 East Main street. Phone 1494. 10-22-tf

EXIDE STORAGE BATTERY Service Station. Prompt and expert service to automobile users. Repairing and recharging exhausted storage batteries, adjusting, starting and lighting systems. "Inspection Free." 1216 Harrison. Phone 2813. 9-16-tf

FOR SALE—One 1913 five-passenger Studebaker touring car, fully equipped, $275 for quick sale. Inquire Fort Wayne Credit Co., 1221 Calhoun street. Phone 535. 12-9-tf

STOVES AND RANGES.

FOR SALE—Second-hand base burner. Inquire 1533 West Main. Phone 2030. 12-21-tf

MISCELLANEOUS.

DOME DANDRO, No. 6, is one of nature's best hair growers. It will grow hair where all others have failed. It will remove dandruff, and is a scientific treatment for the hair bulbs if they are not destroyed. Prepared by H. W. Niswonger, 609 Barr street. Phone 3516. 12-2-1yr

FOR SALE—Farm mares, one black, 8 years, in foal; grey 5 years old; no further use for them. Also driver, 807 Wilt. 12-21-tf

FOR SALE—Durroc Shoats. Wm. Langley, Route 15, city. d27-1t

GOVERNOR HANNA NOW ILL.

Another Member of Ford Peace Party is Stricken.

London, Dec. 27.—(4:30 p. m.)—The Copenhagen correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph company reports that Gov. L. B. Hanna, of North Dakota, has arrived at Copenhagen, severely ill of influenza and has gone to a hospital.

"Wm. J. Bryan has cabled that he will meet the Ford party at The Hague," the correspondent adds. Mr. Ford is reported to have told friends he expects to build a peace palace at Copenhagen.

CONDEMNED BY PRIZE COURT.

Owners of Steamer Solveid Will Appeal French Finding.

Washington, Dec. 27.—The steamer Solveid, owned by the American Trans-Atlantic company, has been condemned by the French prize court. The owners will appeal. Flying a Norwegian flag the Solveid was seized while in a French port. Her American papers reached her commander a few days later. Suspected German ownership was given as the cause for detaining the vessel.

CLEARY GOES TO PRISON.

Acquitted of Murder, He Must Pay Forgery Penalty.

Nyack, N. Y., Dec. 27.—William V. Cleary, formerly town clerk of Haverstraw, who was acquitted of the murder of his young son-in-law, Eugene B. Newman, about a year ago, was today sentenced to not less than three years and not more than six years and four months in prison. He was convicted of forgery a few days ago.

CLASSMATE OF TAFT DIES.

James B. McEwan, Former Mayor of Albany, Is No More.

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 27.—James B. McEwan, formerly mayor of Albany, for ten years a member of the state legislature, died here today. He was graduated from Yale university in 1878 in the class with former President Taft.

REAL ESTATE. REAL ESTATE.

COUPON

Children's Dept.—THE WILDWOOD MAGAZINE

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THE WEATHER.

LOCAL OFFICE UNITED STATES WEATHER BUREAU.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Dec. 27.—Local data for the twenty-four hours ending at noon today.

Temperature at the end of each hour:

2:00 p. m.	31	2:00 a. m.	35
3:00 p. m.	32	3:00 a. m.	35
4:00 p. m.	32	4:00 a. m.	35
5:00 p. m.	33	5:00 a. m.	35
6:00 p. m.	33	6:00 a. m.	35
7:00 p. m.	34	7:00 a. m.	35
8:00 p. m.	34	8:00 a. m.	34
9:00 p. m.	34	9:00 a. m.	34
10:00 p. m.	34	10:00 a. m.	33
11:00 p. m.	35	11:00 a. m.	32
Midnight	35	Noon	31
100 a. m.	35	1:00 p. m.	31
		2:00 p. m.	31

Highest temperature yesterday, 34.

Lowest this morning, 24.

Highest, since the first of the month, 42, on the 22nd.

Lowest since the first of the month, 10, on the 15th.

Precipitation for the twenty-four hours ending at noon today, trace of an inch.

Precipitation since the first of the month, 1.48 inches.

Maumee river stake at 7 a. m. today, 2.6 feet.

Relative humidity, 7 p. m., yesterday, 78 per cent.

7 a. m. today, 78 per cent.

Barometer, reduced to sea level:

7:00 p. m. yesterday, 30.02 inches.

7:00 a. m today, 30.08 inches.

Highest wind velocity, 20 miles per hour from the south, at 12:40 p. m.

Sunsets today, 4:19 p. m.

Sun rises tomorrow, 7:06 a. m

For Fort Wayne and vicinity (radius 20 miles): tonight and Tuesday unsettled, probably snow; much colder.

For Indiana: Cloudy tonight and Tuesday, with probably rain turning to snow south portions; much colder.

For Ohio: Partly cloudy, with local snows north, and rain or snow south portion tonight and Tuesday; colder.

For Lower Michigan: Snow flurries and much colder tonight; Tuesday partly cloudy; colder east portion.

Shippers' Forecast (radius 200 miles): Protect shipments during the next 24 to 36 hours from temperatures as follows: North and northwest, 10 degrees; east, 15 to 20 degrees; south, 20 to 30 degrees.

WEATHER CONDITIONS

The pressure is high over the south Atlantic states, northeastern slope, and north Pacific states; it is low over the Lake region, west gulf states, and Canadian northwest. Light snow has occurred in portions of the lake region, north Atlantic states, central Rocky Mountain region, and on the middle eastern slope. The temperatures are generally below the seasonal average on the Atlantic coast and to the westward of the Mississippi, and the weather is warmer than the normal in a belt from the eastern lake region southwestward to the west gulf coast. The weather is quite cold in the upper Mississippi and Missouri valleys, with temperatures at zero or lower.

P. McDonough, Local Forecaster.

ADDITIONAL DEATHS.

CARTO

Mrs. Marie E. Carto, wife of James J. Carto, died at 9:30 o'clock Monday morning at the home of a son, Frank Carto, 444 East Leith street, at the age of 54 years. Death followed an illness of five years and was due to asthmatic complications. She was born and reared in Fort Wayne and spent her entire life in Fort Wayne. She was a devout member of St. Peter's Catholic church.

Besides the husband she is survived by a son, Frank Carto, a well known Pennsylvania conductor; three sisters, Mrs. Rose Richards and Mrs. Julia Center, both of Fort Wayne, and Mrs. Cleo McAlpine, of Arizona.

Funeral services, Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock at the residence and at 10 o'clock at St. Peter's Catholic church.

ANOTHER BRITISH BOAT SUNK.

London, Dec. 27.—The 4,000 ton British steamship Yeddo, from Calcutta, Nov. 24, for Boston and New York, has been sunk. Her crew was saved.

NEW YEAR'S RESERVATIONS should be made now. Come to the Wayne Hotel, the amusement center. 27-4t

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MISCELLANEOUS.

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7:10 A.M*	4:00 P.M
8:00 A.M	5:30 P.M*
9:10 A.M*	6:35 P.M
10:20 A.M	8:30 P.M
12:00 A.M	11:00 P.M†
1:10 P.M*	

South-Bound Trains Leave

6:00 A.M	2:00 P.M*
7:00 A.M	3:00 P.M
8:00 A.M	4:00 P.M*
9:00 A.M	5:00 P.M
10:00 A.M*	6:00 P.M*
11:00 A.M	8:00 P.M*
1:00 P.M	10:00 P.M*
	11:00 P.M

Trains leaving here at 7:10 A. M., 9:10 A. M., 1:10 P. M. and 5:30 P. M. make connection at Peru for Indianapolis.

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If your house plants look dull and d roopy don't feed them on corn beef and cabbage No, No! Don't oven give th em ice cream sodas!

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LONELY WIDOWS SEEK NEW TRIPS TO ALTAR

Chicago Woman's Cupid Bureau Gets Many Pleas for Husbands.

Chicago, Dec. 27.—Because of Christmas loneliness or the fear of it, many maids and widows and swains have been sent romancing. At least, they have expressed their dreams of this contented state in long letters to Mrs. Josephine H. Lawrence, superintendent of the social service department of the county court, during the good will season. On account of illness Mrs. Lawrence, however, has not been able to give the letters the attention they deserved, and the love epistles have piled up unopened on her desk from day to day.

Married a Day; Deserted.

A girl from the Rock River mills, in Goshen, Ind., was the first to rebel at loneliness. Her husband objected to her attending church on Sunday, she says, and left her after one day. This is her letter:

"I am a poor, lonesome girl in Goshen, Ind. I am writing to you in the hope that you may help me find a husband. I am a spinner in the Rock River mills and earn good wages. I am a very young widow—only 18 years old. I was married only four months today and was with my husband one night. I heard he is dead, but do not know, as he left me when we were married but two days. I have no children and I am lonesome and heartbroken. You may publish my letter and see if there isn't some one to love me.

"I am no jealous girl, but true blue to one who is true to me. I want a husband to help cheer me up and to love me and be true to me. I can do any kind of housework. I have a good education, but not in music. This is a description of myself: Five feet five inches tall; dark brown hair; brown eyes and fair complexion; weight 115 pounds.

Country Reared

"I am a christian girl, born and reared in the country, but I am staying in town just now. I was intending to work and help my husband. But he didn't want me to go to church. So one Sunday morning while I was at church he packed his clothes and left. But I never intend to hunt for him, because he isn't good enough to do what is right.

"I never will leave my church to sin. My intentions were to make a christian man out of him.

"I am very fond of work and I am willing to do all I can for any man who is ready to 'settle down' and go to church with me. I'll live where he does. I will stay with him here and work and help him to save. I am very economical. I wouldn't want a man over 35 years old. I will take one younger than that, 21, 25 or 28, anywhere from these ages to 35. I do not want a flirt, drunkard, smoker, or chewer. I don't care if he smokes so much as I do for chewing tobacco. Would like a photograph of the man. My parents are not living."

She Fills Requirements.

"Will you do an act of charity," writes Mrs. F. H., "and put me in communication with the gentleman who wrote for a wife, as I fill all the requirements and am a lonely widow? I have brown hair and eyes. I can furnish the best of references."

"I am so interested in your work and the social service bureau," Mrs. L. A. J. S. says, "and I want you to help me. I am a widow, all alone, 39 years old, but do not look it, as I have retained my girlish figure and looks. I am a good christian woman and I am sure there is somewhere in this world a good christian man just as much alone as I am. But how are we lone women going to meet such men?

"I always wanted to be a good wife and mother and home maker, but I have had reverses. There is nothing about the keeping of a house that I don't know."

From a member of the Combined Extension Stepladder and Window Jack company, Philadelphia, Pa., comes this: "Will you kindly place me in communication with young ladies who have requested husbands?"

GETS WIFE BY ADVERTISING

Virginia Man Marries Indiana Woman After Courtship by Mail

Sullivan, Ind., Dec. 27.—Thomas Bond Buchanan, age forty-five, a wealthy farmer, of Petersburg, Va., advertised for a wife, and he found one at Hymera, Ind. After a few months of courtship by mail he came to Hymera to see his sweetheart. Each was pleased with the other's manner and appearance, and they were married by Justice Caleb H. Lester, of this city. The bride was Jennie Stewart, age forty-three, of Hymera.

One of the successful Christmas entertainments Saturday evening was that of the Turnverein Vorwaerts, which was enjoyed by a large crowd at the society's hall. There was an elaborate Christmas tree, and a total of eighty-six children were remembered. A musical concert and gymnastic program provided the entertainment.

COURT IS WITHOUT POWER.

Judge Cole Refuses to Remove Executor of Dykeman Estate.

Logansport, Ind., Dec. 27.—Judge Cole, of Peru, in deciding the petition for the removal of A. S. Jenkins, as executor of the estate of D. D. Dykeman, held that he did not have jurisdiction. He held that a total of $6,895.73 should be charged against the executor. The estate is valued at $250,000 and a part of it is to go toward the building of a memorial hospital for the city, in memory of Judge Dykeman's wife.

Dr. John J. Ogle will leave soon for Florida to spend the remainder of the winter in the south.

NINETY NEEDY HAVE FEAST.

Were Guests of Anthony Hotel at a Christmas Dinner.

Ninety needy Fort Wayne people enjoyed a Christmas feast as the guests of the Anthony hotel management Saturday afternoon in conformity with the annual custom of Manager Keenan. The cafe was turned over to the poor for the event, and here they enjoyed the same tempting menu as that served to the regular guests in the main diningroom.

NEARING PETROLEUM VEIN.

Drillers at Woodburn Will Soon Know Results.

Drilling of the initial well in the Allen county oil field near Woodburn has progressed to a point where it is expected that the present week will develop whether there is to be a rich find of oil there or not. The well is now at a depth of something like 800 feet.

J. E. BEAHLER HEADS IT.

Chosen President of New County Organization of Odd Fellows.

J. E. Beahler has been chosen president of the new association of Odd Fellows and Rebekah lodges in Allen county, with Frank Cunnison as vice-president, Mrs. C. Parry, secretary, and Mrs. Bert Ault as treasurer.

NOTICE.

The annual election of the Hamilton National Bank, of Fort Wayne, will take place at the office of said bank on Tuesday, January 11th, 1916, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 3 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing directors to serve during the ensuing year, and amending article three of the Articles of Association to read as follows: "The Directors shall consist of not less than seven or more than eleven stockholders." F. H. POOLE, Cashier.

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The Troubles of a Married Man

(SOME GUYS ARE BOOBS, AREN'T THEY?)

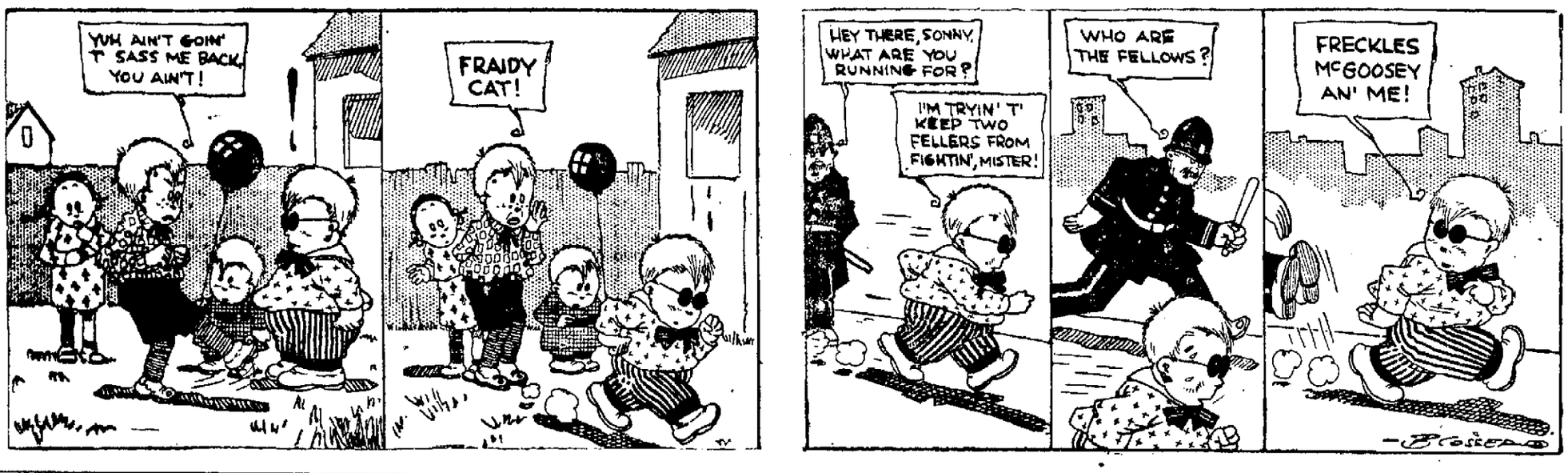
By Allman

HERE COMES FRANK BLAKE
AND HE OWES ME TEN BUCKS TOO
TO HIMSELF
HELLO THERE TOM— I'LL PAY YOU THAT TEN I BORROWED LAST WEEK —
LET IT GO UNTIL TOMORROW
HOW DO YOU DO MR. BLAKE
WELL TOM, IF YOU DON'T WANT IT, PERHAPS MRS. DUFF WILL TAKE IT?
ALL RIGHT THANKS
I THINK MR. BLAKE IS SUCH A PERFECT GENTLEMAN
WELL, OF ALL THE DARN FOOLS IN THE WORLD, THAT GUY IS THE WORST!

Freckles and His Friends

(ONE WAY OF BEING "TOO PROUD TO FIGHT!")

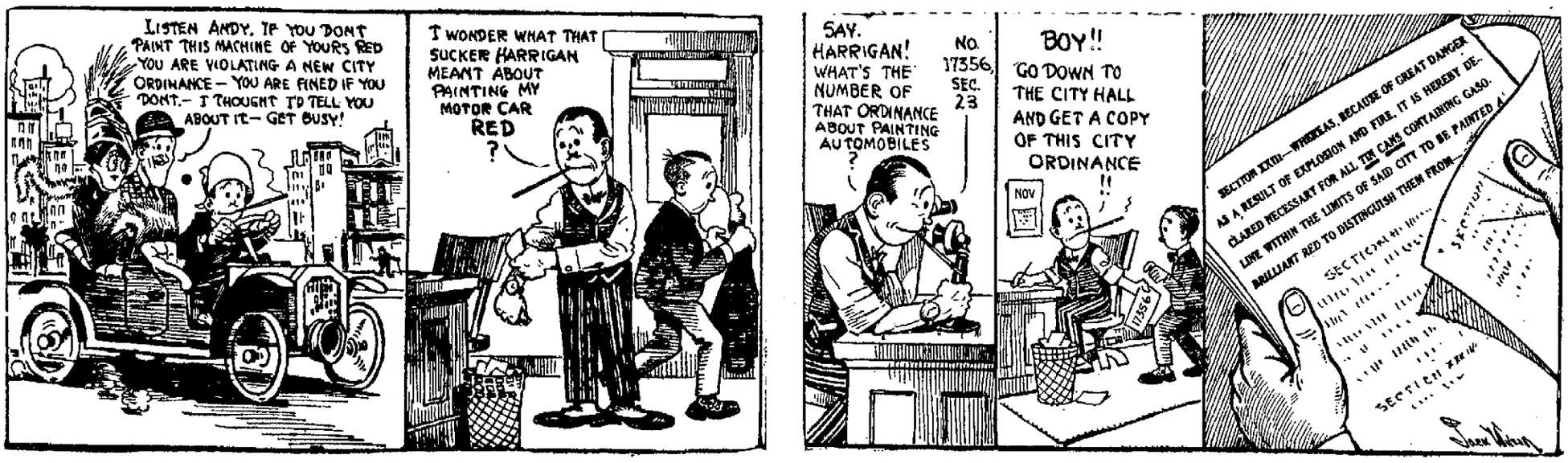
By Blosser


YUH AIN'T GOIN' T' SASS ME BACK, YOU AIN'T!
FRAIDY CAT!
HEY THERE, SONNY, WHAT ARE YOU RUNNING FOR?
I'M TRYIN' T' KEEP TWO FELLERS FROM FIGHTIN', MISTER!
WHO ARE THE FELLOWS?
FRECKLES McGOOSEY AN' ME!

Andy the Ad Man

(BET HARRIGAN WOULDN'T SAY THIS TO ANDY 'S FACE!)

By Wilson


LISTEN ANDY. IF YOU DONT PAINT THIS MACHINE OF YOURS RED YOU ARE VIOLATING A NEW CITY ORDINANCE— YOU ARE FINED IF YOU DONT.— I THOUGHT I'D TELL YOU ABOUT IT— GET BUSY!
I WONDER WHAT THAT SUCKER HARRIGAN MEANT ABOUT PAINTING MY MOTOR CAR RED ?
SAY. HARRIGAN! WHAT'S THE NUMBER OF THAT ORDINANCE ABOUT PAINTING AUTOMOBILES ?
No. 17356, SEC. 23
BOY!! GO DOWN TO THE CITY HALL AND GET A COPY OF THIS CITY ORDINANCE !!
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17356
SECTION XXIII—WHEREAS, BECAUSE OF GREAT DANGER AS A RESULT OF EXPLOSION AND FIRE, IT IS HEREBY DECLARED NECESSARY FOR ALL THE CARS CONTAINING GASOLINE WITHIN THE LIMITS OF SAID CITY TO BE PAINTED A BRILLIANT RED TO DISTINGUISH THEM FROM
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